Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

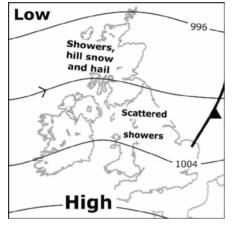
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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General Summary for Sunday, 13 April, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 13 April, 2025

A notable drop of temperature compared to recent days - just below freezing over higher mountains in Scotland with considerable wind chill. Showers most frequent in western Scotland, but forming more widely inland during day, with snow and hail. Scattered showers England & Wales, fading from the west in afternoon.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Chillier with occasional showers, mostly morning, cloud lifting.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 13 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	West turning southwesterly; 15 to 25mph, occasional 30mph higher tops. From dusk into night for a few hours southerly 40-45mph.	
Effect of wind on you?	Walking starting to be impeded in higher winds, stability at times challenged on exposed ridges. Deteriorating for a time into night.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Showers, snow highest tops, fading Scattered mostly brief showers passing eastwards during the day. Falling as sleet or snow on higher terrain above 800-900m. Tending to fade from west in afternoon. Showery rain returns into night.	
Cloud on the hills?	Rising toward or above tops Covering mid and upper slopes at dawn. Bases rising to 800-900m through the day, though variable as showers come and go, breaking at times above the tops in the afternoon.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%, rising to 70% afternoon	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun. Visibility soon improving, but then varying, at times very good, occasionally poor in showers.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	1C. Wind chill like -7C on high tops.	
Freezing Level	Around 1000m or just above.	

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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Monday 14 April	Tuesday 15 April
How windy? (On the summits)	South to southwesterly, 25 to 35mph, up to 40-45mph early in day.	Westerly 20mph at first, soon becoming variable 10-15mph or less.
Effect of wind on you?	Blustery, affecting comfortable walking and balance over higher exposed terrain. Considerable wind chill.	Soon mostly small.
How wet?	Rain then showers	Local brief showers
(Precipitation and its impact)	Frequent or persistent heavy rain in the morning associated with a front, sleet or possibly some snow on higher summits. Then scattered showers, some heavy, with hail, chance of isolated thunder & lightning.	Mostly brief showers, near to the coast in the morning, then inland by afternoon.
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting toward high tops, some breaks	Lifting mostly above tops
	Covering hills to mid-slopes in morning rain, locally lower west coast. Cloud base rising to upper slopes, some breaks to tops forming during afternoon, best toward north.	Patches on some mid to upper slopes during the morning, lifting above the tops. Brief patches lowering in showers.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30% rising to 60%	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun developing. Visibility poor during precipitation, becoming very good away from showers.	Sun and high-level cloud. Visibility mostly very good.
How Cold? (at 900m)	2 or 3C. Wind chill feeling like -7 to -10C.	1 to 3C.
Freezing Level	Just above highest tops.	1000m from dawn, rising just above highest summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 14 April, 2025

Wetter conditions through the week ahead as complex areas of low pressure circulate slowly around the British Isles, bringing cloud and spells of rain and showers, at times heavy, though day-to-day detail is very uncertain. Some drier and brighter periods. Temperatures generally cooler, near-freezing on higher summits, especially Scotland, where snow will fall at times on tops. Variable wind speeds, squally in showers, mostly south to southwesterly, then later in week southeasterly, may strengthen locally considerably for short-periods during the week.

Forecast issued at 15:36 on Saturday, 12 April, 2025

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