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# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

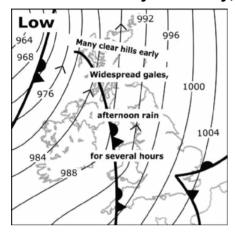
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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## General Summary for Friday, 31 October, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 31 October, 2025

Widespread gales; difficult conditions are likely on high summits. Morning showers onto west coast hills, a substantially dry morning in southeast Scotland and Pennines. A broader area of rain sweeps across all areas through afternoon - several hours of persistent rain for most; a risk of local flooding in the West Highlands.

# Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Light rain, setting in widely for several hours; gales

# **Detailed Forecast for Friday, 31 October, 2025**

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, speeds increasing quickly with height to between 40 to 50mph and perhaps on higher westernmost summits 60mph at times.	
Effect of wind on you?	Widely difficult walking and significant wind chill in upland gales. Be aware of sudden rises in wind speed on the higher summits.	
How wet?	Morning spotty rain sets in afternoon	
(Precipitation and its impact)	Light rain on and off through morning, most often on slopes near Cardigan Bay. Rain sets in rather quickly from midday, frequent to persistent for much of the afternoon with heavy moments.	
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly higher slopes, more widespread in rain	
	Rolls of cloud covering some higher areas, mostly above 800m. Cloud base may be much lower, near 600m close to Lleyn peninsula. Cloud will be more widespread over high terrain during rain.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	40%	
Sunshine?	Weak sunshine at times, mainly east Wales. Overcast for several hours around	
Air clarity (below cloud)	midday. Very good or excellent visibility, but misty in rain.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	7 or 8C. Will feel more like -5C directly in the wind.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	

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

	Saturday 1 November	Sunday 2 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly in the range 30 to 40mph; particularly gusty near precipitation.	West-southwesterly 30-35mph. Speeds rising significantly overnight.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking arduous most of the day with considerable wind chill, particularly during gusts around rain.	Walking often strenuous, particularly in exposure; stability increasingly challenged. Feeling chilly.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Showers, turning heavy	Mostly western slopes
	Sudden showers, may well become heavy afternoon with hail and isolated thunder, including after dark.	Periods of drizzly rain drifting onto westernmost slopes. A risk of a longer period of rain afternoon from Snowdonia into mid-Wales though always primarily on western slopes.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive on higher summits, improving	Mostly just west slopes, well-broken
	Cloud widely covering higher areas at dawn. Will improve as cloud base rises to 800-900m, higher and well broken Carneddau and east. Base will abruptly lower in showers.	Banks of cloud regularly drift onto upper western slopes and over tops, though frequently broken for clear hills. Only odd caps over highest tops to the east after some morning lower banks lift and clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Brief patches of sun, mainly east Wales. Very good visibility but abruptly poor in showers.	Often sunny in the east, more patchy on slopes near Cardigan Bay. A haze on slopes facing the coast, better visibility inland.
How Cold? (at 900m)	4C dropping toward 2C. Will feel as cold as -11C directly in the wind.	2 or 3C. Feeling like -8 to -10C in direct wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Just above the highest summits at dawn, rising further above tops after sunrise.

## **Planning Outlook**

#### All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 1 November, 2025

An extended period (well into November) of frequent rainfall, particularly western mountains where widely considerable accumulation. Atlantic winds will be often strong, gale force at times. Temperatures generally near or above average: brief interludes in Scotland where freezing level drops below higher summits.

Brighter periods will occur between broader areas of rain, best of cloud clearing hills away from the west coast. A few brief settled periods will occur as well, though timing is uncertain. First indications suggest one of these more settled periods could occur next weekend.

#### Forecast issued at 16:12 on Thursday, 30 October, 2025

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