

# Southeastern Highlands

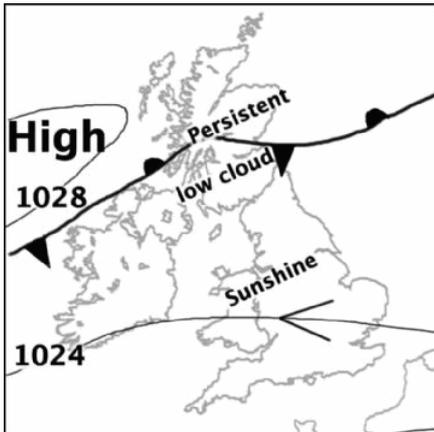
The southern highlands as far west as the central highlands and north to Ben Alder, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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## General Summary for Friday, 27 March, 2020



**British Mountain Summary:**

**Based on forecast chart for noon 27 March, 2020**

The remnants of a front will continue to bring dull hazy weather across much of Scotland, although the NW Highlands extensively fine with very clear air. Extensive sunshine England and Wales, though increasingly blustery.

**Headline for Southeastern Highlands**

Extensively dull and murky; patches drizzle.

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 27 March, 2020

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	Direction variable after dawn. Soon northeasterly 10mph, but 15mph summits south of Perth.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Mostly negligible</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Patches of light precipitation</b> Light rain and drizzle here and there, locally persistent for an hour or two; total rainfall small.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Extensive, particularly east of the A9</b> Detail uncertain: Extensive low cloud most or all day, typical base 500 to 750m, although particularly morning a few patches on lower slopes especially near and east of Glenshee. There may be a trend for the cloud base to lift, especially toward central Highlands,
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>20%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Little or no sunshine. Very hazy.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	2 or 3C
<b>Freezing Level</b>	1100m or above.

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	<b>Saturday 28 March</b>	<b>Sunday 29 March</b>
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	Northerly 25 to near and east of Glenshee 30mph	Northerly 20mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Likely to impede ease of walking on higher areas, particularly near and east of Glenshee.</b>	<b>Small</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Isolated flurries</b> Risk of a few brief flurries of hail.	<b>Precipitation very unlikely</b> Risk isolated very brief hail flurries.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Very little</b>  Fragments will shroud a few higher slopes, after dawn before all cloud lifts above the summits.	<b>Extensively clear of cloud</b>  Fragments on higher areas after dawn will lift above the summits by mid-morning.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>90%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Patches of bright sunshine; most sun toward central belt. Superb visibility.	Sunshine, extensive morning, will become occasional as cloud progressively fills in. Superb visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-4C. Will rise by 3 or 4 degrees, particularly sheltered sunlit slopes through the day.	-5C rising toward 0C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	400m or lower at dawn with frost extensive in valleys. Will rise a few hundred metres, particularly sunlit slopes.	Terrain more or less frozen from valleys up at dawn. Will thaw lower slopes as freezing level reaches 900m by late afternoon.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 28 March, 2020**

Frequently cold over the next week, leaving higher terrain in Scotland frozen and intermittently frozen elsewhere. Precipitation amounts very small, although a few hail flurries, mainly N Scotland.

Scottish MR Note: Scot Gov has stated that "essential travel only must be undertaken" in order to protect our rural communities and prevent extra pressure on our Emergency Services. Now is the time to avoid unnecessary mountain activities and consider our social responsibilities. More info, visit: <https://www.gov.scot/coronavirus-covid-19/>

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