

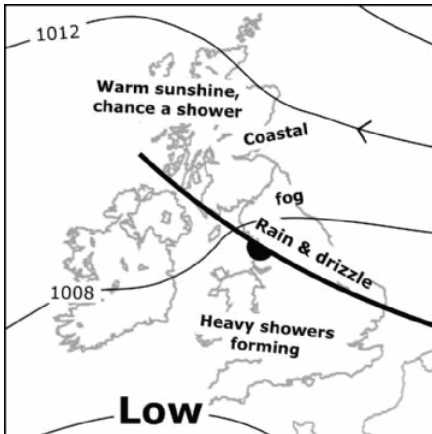
# Southeastern Highlands

The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area 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 Thursday, 16 May, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 16 May, 2024

Dry for much of the Highlands, but chance of localised afternoon showers in the west. Early areas of low cloud mainly central and east areas lifting. An increasing easterly breeze. Patchy rain northern England, heavier rain setting in for southern Pennines, later north Wales. Localised thundery downpours south Wales.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Largely dry. Low cloud thinning. Becoming breezier.

## Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 16 May, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	East to southeasterly, 15 to 25mph, tending to increase a little; gusts over 30 later 35mph especially eastern summits.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Fairly small in places, but increasingly blustery over many higher mountains.</b> Feeling cool where exposed on tops.
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Rain unlikely</b> A little drizzle locally around early cloud banks. Chance of an isolated shower forming, mainly central highlands.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Most extensive morning, clearing</b> Low cloud fairly extensive in the morning, to some lower slopes in eastern areas. Higher bases and some breaks west from Pitlochry. Tending to thin and disperse more widely during afternoon.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>20% rising to 80%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Fairly cloudy, a little sun breaking through. Visibility fairly good, but a slight haze especially in morning and toward east.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	8 to 11C, coolest in morning and where in cloud. Feeling close to freezing where exposed to the wind on tops.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits.

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Friday 17 May	Saturday 18 May
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b> <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Easterly 10 to 20mph, slightly increasing throughout the day. On the southernmost hills up to 25, locally 30mph. <b>Fairly small, but locally more blustery around summits nearest the central belt.</b>	Variable or northerly, 5 to 15mph. <b>Small</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Risk of local showers late afternoon northwards</b> Late afternoon showers possible around Ben Lawers.	<b>Risk isolated afternoon showers</b> Risk of one or two showers forming during the afternoon, chance of an isolated heavy burst later.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>Mostly little, may drift onto eastern hills</b>  Morning likely cloud free, risk of some low low cloud banks extending inland from the east coast afternoon into evening.  <b>80%</b>	<b>Mostly little, local fog banks for a time</b>  Patchy cloud banks or some fog from the North Sea may cover slopes toward the east early in the day, dispersing or retreating toward coast. Brief patches may form over higher slopes.  <b>70%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Often clear skies before noon, increasing cloudiness in the afternoon in most areas. Visibility very good.	Sunshine best central areas in morning. Cloud bubbling up, locally filling in afternoon. Visibility very good, local mist at first.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b> <b>Freezing Level</b>	9 to 11C. Wind chill feeling close to freezing on tops in stronger speeds. Above the summits.	7 to 11C, coolest eastern areas in morning.  Above the summits.

## Planning Outlook

### All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 17 May, 2024

Slack pressure patterns continue to drift around slowly. Plenty of dry and fairly warm weather, although feeling cooler toward the north and east this weekend and early next week. East or southeasterly breezes most common. Localised showers forming in the afternoons, chance of an isolated heavy or thundery burst. Low cloud affecting eastern hills at times, western mountains more often clear.

### Forecast issued at 16:30 on Wednesday, 15 May, 2024

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