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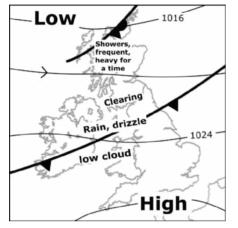
Southeastern Highlands

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 Sunday, 15 September, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 15 September, 2024

Often strong winds across most hills, feeling chilly especially Scottish tops. A zone of frequent rain and heavy showery bursts passes eastwards across the Highlands, particularly northern areas. A front moves slowly south over England and Wales bringing rain, drizzle and low cloud, gradually clearing northern England later.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Varied winds, brisk at times. Showery rain moving east, mainly afternoon.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 15 September, 2024

How windy? (On the Munros)	West to southwesterly; varying through the day, sometimes as low as 20mph, but at times 30mph, gusty around heavier showers in afternoon. Walking at times impeded by the wind, and perhaps sometimes arduous with considerable wind chill.	
Effect of wind on you?		
How wet? Showery rain mostly into afternoon		
(Precipitation and its impact)	Often dry in morning, although now and again a shower, then particularly central highlands, rain for up to an hour in afternoon, some heavier rain briefly, showery rain passing eastwards.	
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly central tops and in rain; often clearing toward Glenshee	
	Cloud base will vary; near rain forming below 600m, but otherwise 800m, later 1000m. On Ochils and toward and east of Glenshee the range between 700 and by afternoon, mostly above the summits away from rain.	
Chance of cloud free Munros?	20%; later 70% near/east of Glenshee	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine intermittently, most widely lower slopes, particularly near Ochils and near and east of Glenshee. Visibility mostly very good although some haze.	
How Cold? (at 900m)	7C, but where exposed to the wind, will feel near or below freezing point.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	

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Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Monday 16 September	Tuesday 17 September
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	Varied direction, becoming south to southwesterly; 10mph or less, increasing a little to 15-20mph late in the day. Negligible	Southwesterly, 15-20mph early in day, soon southerly or becoming variable 10mph or less. Mostly small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain very unlikely	Rain very unlikely
Cloud on the hills?	Very little if any	Mostly little if any
		Patchy banks of cloud on some slopes, plus mist in some glens at first. Soon generally dispersing.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright sunshine and superb visibility although ribbons of fog some valleys will disperse through morning.	Mostly sunny, some thin high cloud for a time. Some mist patches at first, otherwise visibility excellent.
How Cold? (at 900m)	4 rising to 11C	13C, rising slightly into afternoon. (Tops warmer than glens early morning).
Freezing Level	Above the summits, but ground frost some lowland and upland valleys at dawn.	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 16 September, 2024

High pressure becomes established over Britain at the start of the new week, drifting toward Scandinavia by midweek. A weak front grazing past northwest Scotland on Tuesday brings low cloud and some possible dampness for a time here. Otherwise, very warm and particularly on western mountains often sunny. However, particularly in the mornings low cloud coming in off the North Sea will often envelop more eastern mountains from midweek. Fresh easterly breezes affecting England and Wales in the second half of the week, locally becoming very gusty. Lighter winds generally in Scotland.

Forecast issued at 16:05 on Saturday, 14 September, 2024

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