

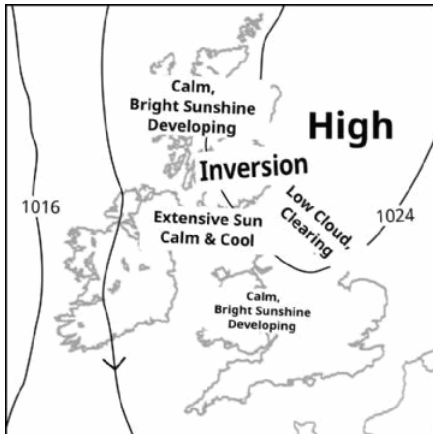
# Southeastern Highlands

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, 3 October, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 3 October, 2024**

Widely dry and sunny, inversion means often clear skies above the sea of clouds sitting in the valleys, this low cloud mostly dissipating by noon. Light winds, locally breezy along the western coast. Cool.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Dry, calm, sunny, low cloud in the valleys. Cool

## Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 3 October, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	South to southwesterly, 5 to 15mph in the morning, later slightly increasing but no more than 20mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Fairly small, in the east most of the day negligible, toward central highlands noticeable afternoon.
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	Rain not expected
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Hills clear, valleys covered by fog</b> Widespread morning fog in the valleys, up to 600m or lower (cloud top). Cloud rising a little through the day, largely breaking and dissipating.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>90% above morning fog</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunny with fair weather clouds. Excellent visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	4 to 7C
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits, but frost at dawn inland glens and some sheltered higher areas.

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Friday 4 October	Saturday 5 October
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	Southerly, 25 to 35mph, gusts may reach 45mph locally.	Southwest to southeasterly, 30-40mph mostly, on highest tops possible 45mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Locally walking becoming arduous, gusts may knock you off your feet on exposed terrain. Significant wind chill.</b>	<b>Walking possibly arduous, foot placement may become difficult on most exposed tops. Significant wind chill.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Morning dry, risk rain afternoon</b> Dry morning. From around noon onward possibility of showers (brief and light) - high likelihood west of A9, east of Glenshee low, moderate in the middle.	<b>Showers most likely west</b> Rain on and off, mostly light, longer dry spells between showers. Late in the day widespread, possibly heavy rain moving in from the west.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Extensive, thickening cloud</b>  Very low cloud in glens. At first cloud top below 600m, but during the day cloud thickening covering mid and higher slopes.	<b>Extensively covered</b>  Hills in cloud, cloud base around 400-600m. Perhaps rising a little during the day.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>20%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Except for low cloud in valleys sunny start, but soon becoming very cloudy. Excellent visibility away from the cloud.	Mostly overcast, glimpses of sun at best.  Moderate visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	5 to 7C, feeling below -5C in strong wind.	5 to 8C. Wind chill may reduce the perceived temperature to -5C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 4 October, 2024**

On Friday in western Scotland deteriorating conditions, beware of upland gales in the Highlands. Lowering pressure and southwesterly winds toward the weekend bring an unsettled spell- rain at times, briefly milder air. Gradually cooling through next week, with spells of showery rain. On Thursday most likely widespread moderate to heavy rain, fairly persistent most mountains. Toward the weekend improving conditions, Saturday and Sunday probably dry and sunny.

**Forecast issued at 16:14 on Wednesday, 2 October, 2024**

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