

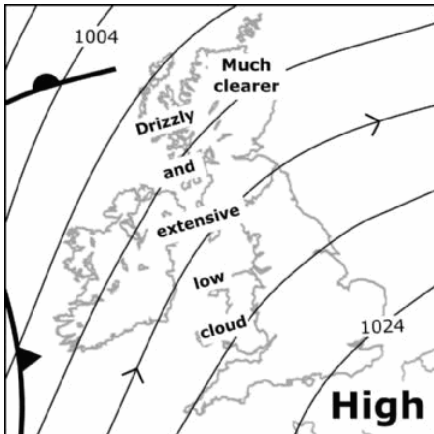
# Southeastern Highlands

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 Saturday, 30 November, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 30 November, 2024

Southerly winds widely gale force over higher terrain, very gusty to some lower slopes. Small amounts of rain in total, but generally damp on western hills with drizzle and light rain plus extensive low cloud. Clearer and largely dry toward the northeast of major hill groups. Mild air, but marked wind chill over the hills.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Upland gales, gusty. Damp with widespread low cloud.

## Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 30 November, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	South to southwesterly 40-50mph, but very gusty, some sudden gusts lower slopes. Strengthening further from dusk, reaching 70mph late evening into night.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Where exposed significant wind chill and difficult walking - balance sometimes difficult. Powerful gusts lower slopes.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Generally damp; a little rain central highlands</b> Feeling damp all day where in cloud, surfaces becoming very wet despite little rain in total. Occasional rain central highlands west of the A9 where drizzly rain may fall most of day.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Extensive low cloud</b> Shrouding the hills throughout the day. Cloud base 400 to 700m, lowest on southern slopes, highest toward north, possibly sometimes higher Angus and Ochils.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>Almost nil</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Mostly dull and misty. Local brief glimpses of weak sun through mist on some north-facing slopes.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	5C. Will feel like -8C directly in the wind.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits.

**Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead**

	<b>Sunday 1 December</b>	<b>Monday 2 December</b>
<p><b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b></p> <p><b>Effect of wind on you?</b></p>	<p>Southwesterly 40 to 55mph, risk 70mph higher eastern tops at dawn; speeds tending to lessen gradually.</p> <p><b>Arduous conditions and significant wind chill at least in the morning. Tending to improve a little into afternoon.</b></p>	<p>Northerly 30 to 40mph, strongest in east; tending to lessen during the daytime, perhaps much less toward dusk.</p> <p><b>Prepare for bitterly cold conditions on the mountains. Buffeting on higher areas, risk arduous walking; improving later.</b></p>
<p><b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)</p>	<p><b>Rain on and off, heaviest at first</b></p> <p>Heavy rain overnight through to dawn, fading into early morning, clearing eastwards. Intermittent rain all day, fairly small amounts, but may be often damp many hills. Then snow showers on hills into night.</p>	<p><b>Local snow showers</b></p> <p>Occasional showers with snow falling toward lower slopes, most likely on hills near and east of the A9; fewer west.</p>
<p><b>Cloud on the hills?</b></p> <p><b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b></p>	<p><b>Fairly extensive, lifting to higher slopes</b></p> <p>Covering the hills widely in the morning. Bases typically lifting to 700-900m, highest north of Loch Tay &amp; Pitlochry, higher breaks into afternoon away from rain.</p> <p><b>20%</b></p>	<p><b>Often clear, patches eastern tops</b></p> <p>Drifting over higher tops above 800 to 1000m, most frequent from near and east of Glenshee. Often clear across the central highlands, brief patches may come and go.</p> <p><b>60%</b></p>
<p><b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)</p>	<p>Generally cloudy. Visibility reduced by rain or drizzle; intermittently good.</p>	<p>Frequent bright sunshine and very clear air, but visibility briefly reduced in snow.</p>
<p><b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b></p> <p><b>Freezing Level</b></p>	<p>5C, lowering slightly during day, eventually dropping to 0C or below later into night. Daytime wind chill feeling like -7 to -10C.</p> <p>Above the summits all day, but dropping sharply overnight, toward 600m by dawn on Monday.</p>	<p>-3C. Wind chill feeling like -15C in the morning.</p> <p>500 to 600m; beware of icy surfaces. Soon frosty into glens by evening.</p>

**Planning Outlook**

**All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 1 December, 2024**

After a mild weekend with strong southerly winds, it turns rapidly much colder again into Monday as winds switch temporarily northerly. Showers with snow falling over the mountains, to lower elevations in Scotland. Staying chilly with further periods of hill snow into midweek, but some windows of fine weather under transient areas of high pressure. Then later in the week through next weekend, a more turbulent southwesterly pattern, bringing stormy winds; fluctuating temperatures above and below freezing on the mountains with a mix of rain and upland snow.

**Forecast issued at 15:00 on Friday, 29 November, 2024**

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