

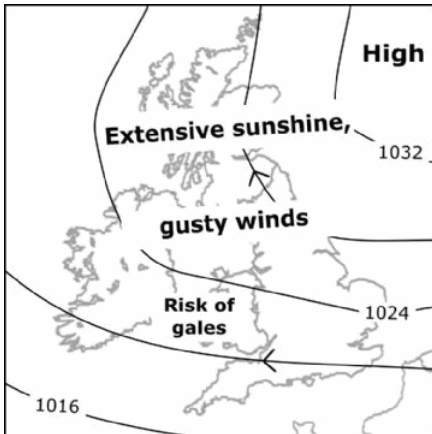
Southern Uplands

The Galloway hills eastward to the Lammermuir hills. The Cheviots (including higher hills within the adjacent Northumberland NP).



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General Summary for Wednesday, 2 April, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 2 April, 2025

Dry and widely sunny. Low slopes and valleys near east coasts may see patchy dawn mist, some reaching higher terrain in England, though soon dissipating. A gusty breeze in all areas, notably along Scotland's west coast and down western slopes in England and Wales. Strongest winds in Wales with a risk of gales in the morning.

Headline for Southern Uplands

Gusty winds, notably west. Dry and sunny.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 2 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southeasterly 20-25mph. A gusty day, notably around south Galloway, up to 30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, locally walking and balance starting to be affected in highest winds, particularly Galloway. Feeling cool in exposure.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation
Cloud on the hills?	Little or no cloud A passing cloud bank or two over the Cheviot in the morning, clearing for a cloud free day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine. Visibility excellent.
How Cold? (at 750m)	5 to 7C, warmest on the north slopes of Galloway. Feeling like -3C in stronger wind, particularly eastern hills.
Freezing Level	Above the summits. Slight frost in valleys at dawn.

Southern Uplands - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 3 April	Friday 4 April
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 25mph, up to a gusty 35mph Galloway.	Southeasterly 20-30mph, gradually shifting easterly. Gusty, strongest around Galloway approaching 40mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Sudden gusts affect comfortable walking and balance on exposed terrain. Some strenuous walking west. Feeling chilly.	Walking becoming impeded, at times strenuous with buffeting west. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation expected	No precipitation expected
Cloud on the hills?	Hills largely clear, risk early fog in east Possible North Sea fog on some low ground and lower eastern hills for a few hours early morning (high tops likely clear above this layer), all dispersing.	Little cloud expected At dawn, patchy mist in sheltered valleys around the Cheviot and Lothians. Some fog may rise to mid or upper slopes in wind, though soon dissipating for a clear day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, especially west, with excellent visibility. Eastern areas may start misty.	Extensive sunshine. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6C, rising to 8C Galloway hills. Feeling sub-zero, near -3C in highest winds east.	6C, 8C Galloway. Slight rise through the day. Feeling sub-zero, near -3C in highest wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits. Slight frost in valleys at dawn.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 3 April, 2025**

High pressure is centered to the northeast through the weekend, with the core of high pressure meandering near the British Isles into the next week. Extensively dry and warm with frequent sunshine. Some high cloud may come and go, becoming more frequent later in the week. Chilly mornings in valleys, slight frost and sometimes misty where sheltered, though mists will soon clear for mostly cloud-free days. East to southeasterly winds prevail, gusty in places, strongest speeds for Wales.

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