

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 10 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 11 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 09 Jun 2022 at 16:45 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for breezy, often showery conditions through the coming days but lower for details of any more persistent rain on Saturday morning and later Tuesday.

Headline for Friday 10 Jun 2022: Sunny spells with a few showers developing. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 10 Jun 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
10%	00%	00%	<05%	20%	30%	30%	10%

Forecast for Friday 10 Jun 2022

Weather: Long clear spells developing through the early hours giving way to a sunny start to the morning. Cloud will bubble up with a few showers developing towards midday, the showers may be heavy at times through the afternoon but will pass quickly in the strong winds. Becoming mainly dry through the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Close to 100% at first but 75% from mid-morning rising to 90% by early afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud above 450m developing by mid-morning then rising to leave just small amounts below summit level, mainly in association with showers. Away from cloud visibility very good falling briefly in showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)									Wind Direction (blowing from)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	30/41 S	32/44 SW	35/48 SW	30/43 SW	36/52 SW	35/51 SW	34/47 S	35/49 S	36/52 SW									
900	28/36 S	30/38 SW	33/43 SW	32/44 SW	33/46 SW	33/47 SW	33/45 S	32/44 S	34/47 SW									
600	18/25 S	17/26 SW	21/30 SW	26/38 SW	24/37 SW	25/38 SW	23/34 SW	21/33 S	22/35 SW									
300	10/24 S	9/22 S	11/25 S	16/35 SW	16/34 SW	16/34 SW	14/31 S	14/31 S	15/33 S									
Glen	3/17 S	3/18 SW	3/19 S	8/28 SW	9/30 SW	8/28 SW	6/23 S	5/23 S	4/23 S									

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	5/-1	3/-4	3/-4	4/-3	6/-1	5/-1	4/-3	3/-4	3/-4
900	9/4	7/1	6/0	7/2	9/4	8/3	8/2	7/1	6/1
600	11/8	9/6	9/5	10/6	12/8	11/7	10/6	9/6	9/5
300	13/11	11/9	12/9	14/11	15/12	14/11	13/10	12/9	11/8
Glen	13/12	10/10	11/10	14/12	16/13	16/13	14/12	12/11	11/9
Freezing Level*	2000m	1600m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1900m	1900m	1900m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Gusts around 65mph over ridges and summits. Significant chill effect on higher summits despite some strong sunshine.

Forecast for Saturday 11 Jun 2022

Weather: Mainly dry with clear or sunny spells to the north and east of the Plateau through the morning, but cloudier to the south and west with some outbreaks of mainly light rain. Cloud in the south and west will break up for the afternoon to leave most places dry through the afternoon, although the odd shower is possible, with sunny spells.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 35-45mph, gusts around 75mph over ridges and summits, easing a little in evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Around 40% to the south and west of the Plateau through much of the morning, otherwise around 90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud above about 600-750m south and west of the Plateau through much of the morning, otherwise only small amounts of cloud below the summits. Away from cloud visibility good or very good falling to several kilometres in rain and briefly in showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Around plus 9 Celsius rising to plus 18 Celsius by day.

At 800m: Around plus 7 Celsius.

Freezing level: Above summits.