

## South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 01 Mar 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 02 Mar 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 01 Mar 2021 at 02:39 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for mainly dry and settled conditions to continue. There is some uncertainty in the extent and heights of cloud from Wednesday onwards.

**Headline for Monday 01 Mar 2021:** Dry and sunny with light winds. Snow glare on the tops.

### Mountain weather hazards on Monday 01 Mar 2021

**Blizzards**

No Likelihood

**Gales**

No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**

No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**

No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**

No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**

No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**







No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**

Low Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**

Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

### Forecast for Monday 01 Mar 2021

**Weather:** A cold start with a frost then a dry day with almost unbroken sunshine. Low cloud will spread inland off the North Sea during the evening but most of the tops staying clear above it.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 95%.

**Visibility:** Mainly excellent. A few fog patches in the glens in the morning. Fog will spread onto some lower slopes in the east in the evening.

**Forecast for Monday 01 Mar 2021**

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>1100</b>	8/10 S	7/9 S	7/10 S	4/7 S	5/6 SE	5/6 S	7/9 S
<b>900</b>	8/9 S	7/9 S	7/10 S	4/6 S	4/6 SE	5/6 S	6/8 S
<b>600</b>	3/4 W	1/3 SE	4/6 NW	2/4 W	4/5 S	2/3 E	3/4 SE
<b>300</b>	3/6 SW	1/4 SW	3/6 S	3/5 SW	2/4 E	2/4 S	2/4 S
<b>Glen</b>	3/5 W	2/5 W	3/6 S	4/7 S	3/6 SW	3/7 SW	2/4 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>1100</b>	1/-3	1/-3	0/-3	0/-2	-0/-3	-0/-3	-0/-4
<b>900</b>	2/-2	2/-1	3/-0	3/1	2/-0	1/-2	1/-2
<b>600</b>	1/-0	2/1	4/3	5/4	4/2	1/-1	0/-2
<b>300</b>	1/-0	4/2	8/7	8/8	5/4	2/1	1/-1
<b>Glen</b>	1/-0	4/3	9/8	10/9	4/3	2/1	0/-1
<b>Freezing Level*</b>	900m	900m	900m	1000m	1000m	900m	800m

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

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**

A strong UV glare off areas of lying snow, mainly above 900m. Good eye protection is recommended.

**Forecast for Tuesday 02 Mar 2021**

**Weather:** A cloudy start for most ranges but cloud dispersing from most slopes by the afternoon with sunshine coming through. Low to mid slopes in the east may hang onto cloud all day.

**Maximum wind:** East or SE 5-10mph.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** Over 40% becoming 90%.

**Visibility:** Areas of low cloud in the morning slowly clearing but low to mid slopes in the east may hold onto cloud throughout. Otherwise, mainly excellent on the tops.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Minus 1C rising to 7 or 8C.  
**At 800m:** Minus 1C rising to 4C during daytime.  
**Freezing level:** 1000-1200m.