

## 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 00:00 on Wednesday 04 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 05 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 03 Aug 2021 at 16:31 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for unsettled weather for the next few days, but low for extent of showery weather on a daily basis.

**Headline for Wednesday 04 Aug 2021:** Bright with some afternoon showers, mainly across the west.

### Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 04 Aug 2021

**Blizzards**  
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**  
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**  
No Likelihood

**Gales**  
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**  
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**  
No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**  
Low Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**  
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**  
High Likelihood

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

### Forecast for Wednesday 04 Aug 2021

**Weather:** Mostly dry in the morning with some clear or sunny periods. Scattered showers, with the chance of an isolated thunderstorm, breaking out from early afternoon these mainly across the west of the area. Showers will continue into the evening.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 90%

**Visibility:** Generally very good with good air clarity outside of showers. Some patchy cloud above 900 metres especially in showers.

**Forecast for Wednesday 04 Aug 2021**

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
<b>1100</b>	10/13 SW	12/16 SW	11/16 SW	13/18 SW	15/22 SW	17/25 S	17/23 S	16/21 S	19/26 S
<b>900</b>	8/11 SW	9/13 SW	10/14 SW	11/16 SW	14/21 SW	13/21 S	13/20 S	12/17 S	14/20 S
<b>600</b>	5/8 SW	5/9 SW	3/7 SW	6/13 SW	10/19 SW	10/20 SW	9/18 S	7/14 S	6/15 S
<b>300</b>	2/5 W	3/6 W	2/6 W	5/11 SW	9/19 SW	9/18 SW	6/13 S	5/11 SE	4/8 S
<b>Glen</b>	3/6 W	3/5 W	3/7 W	4/9 SW	7/16 S	9/18 S	7/14 S	3/6 SE	4/9 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>1100</b>	7/4	7/4	8/5	8/6	10/7	10/7	10/6	8/5	7/3
<b>900</b>	9/7	8/6	9/7	11/8	12/9	12/10	12/9	10/8	9/6
<b>600</b>	10/10	10/9	11/10	14/13	15/14	15/13	14/12	12/11	11/10
<b>300</b>	11/11	10/10	12/12	16/16	19/17	18/16	16/16	14/13	13/12
<b>Glen</b>	12/12	11/11	12/12	17/17	20/18	19/18	18/17	14/14	13/13
<b>Freezing Level*</b>	2200m	2200m	2300m	2200m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2300m

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

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**

A warm day expected, risk of sunburn and dehydration on long walks

**Forecast for Thursday 05 Aug 2021**

**Weather:** A rather cloudy day with scattered showers, occasionally heavy. Showers may merge into some longer spells of rain at times. Low confidence for extent of showers.

**Maximum wind:** Southeasterly 15 mph

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 60%

**Visibility:** Generally good, but poor in low cloud down to 650 metres at times through the day. Best chance of cloud free summits in the northeast.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 11 rising to 18 Celsius  
**At 800m:** Plus 10 Celsius  
**Freezing level:** Above summits