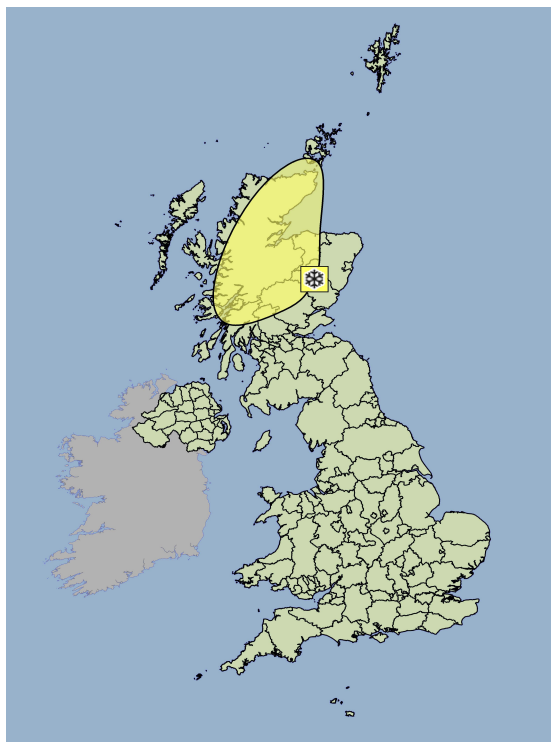




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

Wintry showers will continue this afternoon and overnight into Monday morning. Initially the showers will fall as sleet and snow above 200 m, with temporary accumulations to lower levels away from western coastal districts. However snow levels will rise slightly on Sunday night and accumulations are expected to become more confined to routes above 250 m to 300 m by Monday morning where 2 to 5 cm will accumulate with 10 cm possible over ground above 400 m. Some drifting of the snow is possible in the strong westerly winds. Ice will also be a hazard on untreated surfaces even to lower levels.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning of Snow**

Valid from **15:00 on Sun, 21st Feb 2016** until **09:00 on Mon, 22nd Feb 2016**

Frequent, often heavy showers of sleet, snow and hail will affect parts of northern Scotland. The heaviest snowfall will be over high ground where drifting is possible in the strong westerly winds, but very little snow is expected in western coastal districts. Ice may also develop on untreated surfaces during the overnight and early morning period.

Please be aware that there could be some difficult traveling conditions over the weekend, especially over the higher routes.

For more details please go to:

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings>

Issued by the Met Office at 12:17 on Sun, 21st Feb 2016

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