

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 Saturday 06 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 07 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 05 Aug 2022 at 14:38 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Mostly high. There remains some uncertainty around the chance of cloud breaks from Sunday into early next week.

Headline for Saturday 06 Aug 2022: Cloudy with patchy light rain, drier and brighter from the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 06 Aug 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium 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)	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
00%	10%	40%	50%	40%	20%	10%	00%

Forecast for Saturday 06 Aug 2022

Weather: Mostly cloudy with patchy light rain from around dawn. The afternoon becomes mostly dry with occasional bright spells developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% in the morning 60% in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility outside any low cloud. Some cloud down to 600-900m, particularly during the morning. Cloud bases lifting above the summits from late morning.

Forecast for Saturday 06 Aug 2022

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
1300	24/31 W	22/29 W	25/33 W	22/29 W	26/36 W	29/40 W	31/43 W	31/44 W	31/44 W
900	18/23 W	18/23 SW	23/29 SW	19/25 SW	25/32 SW	26/35 W	26/35 SW	28/37 SW	28/38 SW
600	12/16 SW	13/18 SW	16/23 SW	14/20 SW	17/25 SW	20/28 W	19/27 SW	18/27 SW	20/30 SW
300	5/14 SW	5/14 SW	9/20 SW	7/17 SW	9/20 SW	12/25 SW	12/26 SW	12/26 SW	12/27 SW
Glen	3/15 W	2/13 SW	4/16 SW	4/15 SW	5/17 SW	6/23 SW	6/22 SW	5/21 SW	5/22 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
1300	2/-5	2/-4	3/-3	4/-2	5/-0	5/-1	4/-2	4/-3	5/-2
900	5/0	5/0	6/1	7/3	8/4	8/4	8/3	7/2	7/2
600	7/4	7/4	8/4	9/6	10/7	11/8	10/7	10/6	9/6
300	8/7	8/7	10/8	11/10	12/11	13/11	13/10	12/10	12/9
Glen	8/8	8/7	9/8	12/12	14/14	15/14	14/12	12/11	12/10
Freezing Level*	1500m	1600m	2000m	2000m	2100m	2000m	2300m	2900m	2900m

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

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Fresh winds will give a cold feel on higher tops.

Forecast for Sunday 07 Aug 2022

Weather: Cloudy with the risk of some patchy light rain during the morning. The afternoon will be mainly dry with increasing bright spells.

Maximum wind: West 20 gusting 35 across higher summits, gradually easing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% increasing 60% from mid-afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility very good outside any low cloud. Cloud base 700-900m during the morning, lifting above most peaks during the afternoon

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius to plus 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 7 Celsius rising to plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.