



Weather chart for 1200 UTC on 29 May 2008

Daily weather extremes

Highest Maximum Temperature:
22.4 °C at Northolt (Greater London)

Lowest Maximum Temperature:
12.8 °C at Fair Isle (Shetland)

Lowest Minimum Temperature:
5.7 °C at Dunkeswell Aerodrome (Devon)

Lowest Grass Minimum Temperature:
1.8 °C at Lyneham (Wiltshire)

Most Rainfall:
55.7 mm at Shillingford Abbot (Devon)

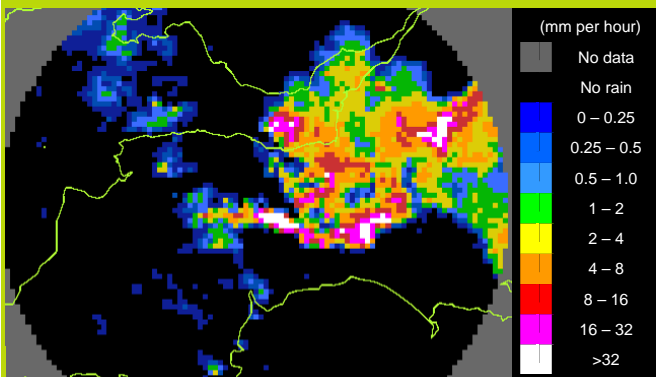
Most Sunshine:
11.6 hours at St. Mawgan (Cornwall)

General summary

Rain moved north across much of Scotland overnight, but elsewhere it was mainly dry. It was a bright or sunny morning for most of central and northern England, Wales and southern Scotland with some morning fog at first for the Isle of Man. Cloud pushed up from the south through the morning bringing wet weather to southern counties by midday. The rain moved into East Anglia by early afternoon with persistent rain continuing in the southeast coasts. Some parts of Hampshire, Sussex and Dorset experienced very heavy downpours in the thundery showers through the late afternoon. However Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland remained mostly dry. Into the evening, heavy rain affected the south-west giving some torrential downpours and thundery showers in Somerset, Wiltshire and Devon causing localised flooding. Meanwhile the main band of rain continued to push up the eastern side of England.

Temperatures were in the very warm category in the north, but under the rain in the south and east temperatures remained nearer to normal.

Cobbacombe Cross radar display for 1800 UTC on 29 May 2008



24-hour rainfall totals

	Rainfall	
	(mm)	(in.)
Shillingford Abbot (Devon)	55.7	2.19
Hemyock (Devon)	54.1	2.13
Evercreech, Tanglewood (Somerset)	51.1	2.01
Stoke Bottom (Somerset)	44.4	1.75
Downhead Reservoir (Wiltshire)	40.6	1.60
Churchingford, Broom Lane (Somerset)	40.2	1.58
Merehead, Torr Quarry (Somerset)	38.3	1.51
Yarcombe (Devon)	37.5	1.48
Wincanton (Somerset)	37.4	1.47

Daily weather statistics

	London	Edinburgh	Cardiff	Belfast
Maximum Temperature/°C:	21.4	15.7	14.8	17.7
Minimum Temperature/°C:	15.9	10.9	13.3	12.0
Rainfall Amount/mm:	23.4	0.0	14.4	2.4
Sunshine Amount/hours:	4.2	1.6	0.0	0.3