

***December 20, 2025. In December 2025, a rare weather phenomenon was recorded in northern Saudi Arabia, including the Tabuk region and the mountainous areas of Jabal Al-Lawz and Trojena.***



Temperatures dropped to  $-4^{\circ}\text{C}$ , allowing snow to settle at elevations around 2,600 meters. A cold air mass, accompanied by rain and strong winds, transformed the desert mountains into a winter landscape, captivating locals and visitors alike.

This event challenges the common perception that desert climates are always hot. At higher altitudes, weather conditions can shift dramatically.

The snowfall became not only a climatological highlight but also a cultural and touristic moment, attracting international attention.

It underscores Saudi Arabia's natural diversity and opens new avenues for studying climate change.