

Protest

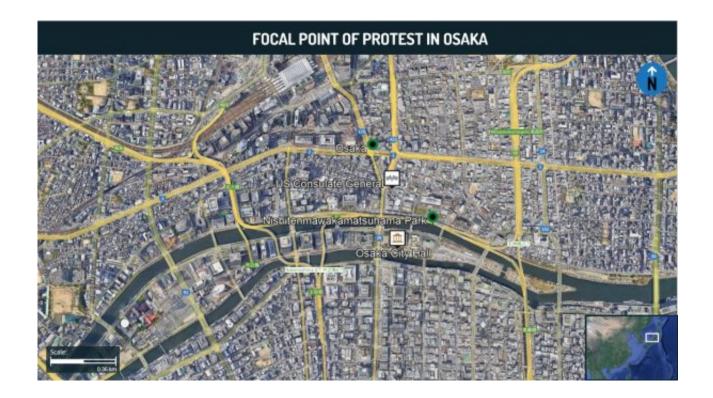




Japan Tactical: Multiple protests slated in Osaka, Tokyo on June 14-15; allot for disruptions

Current Situation:

- Anti-nuclear activists will hold a protest rally beginning from Nishitenmawakamatsuhama Park, situated near the Osaka High Court, in **Osaka** at 14:00 on June 15.
- The rally will be held to protest the Supreme Court's decision on June 17, 2022, absolving the Japanese government of any liability for damages resulting from the Fukushima nuclear disaster in 2011.



- Activists affiliated with the "Labornet Japan" group will hold a protest outside the Ministry of Economy, Trade, and Industry (METI) in **Tokyo** at 17:00 (local time) on June 14. The exact motive for holding the gathering remains unspecified, as of writing.
- Meanwhile, activists belonging to the "National Council of National Guardians" and "Go Japan! National Action Committee" groups will hold a protest at Hachiko Square near JR Shibuya Station in Tokyo from 15:00-17:00 on June 15.
- The protest will be held to demand Japanese Prime Minister Fumio Kishida's resignation.



Assessments & Forecast:

The turnout in the slated protests will likely range the low-to-mid dozens, based on the mobilization capabilities of the organizing groups. While the protests are expected to transpire peacefully, the authorities will bolster security measures in the vicinity of the protest locations in Osaka and Tokyo, especially outside the METI building given the sensitive nature of the location, to monitor the crowds. Localized pedestrian and vehicular traffic disruptions in the vicinity of the protest locations are likely due to the expected turnout and related security measures during the protest hours.

Recommendations:

Those operating or residing in Osaka and Tokyo on June 14-15 are advised to allot for disruptions in the vicinity of the aforementioned locations due to the slated protests.