

Climate Justice we seek

FFF Japan

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What is Fridays For Future Japan?

- Organized by Japanese youths inspired by Fridays For Future made by Greta Thunberg
- Demonstrating to realize climate justice and enlighten climate crisis
- Platform of the local FFF around Japan



Climate Injustice in Japan

- Foreign workers
 - Low income (especially for technical intern trainees)
 - Insufficient safety net
 - Few English instruction in evacuation

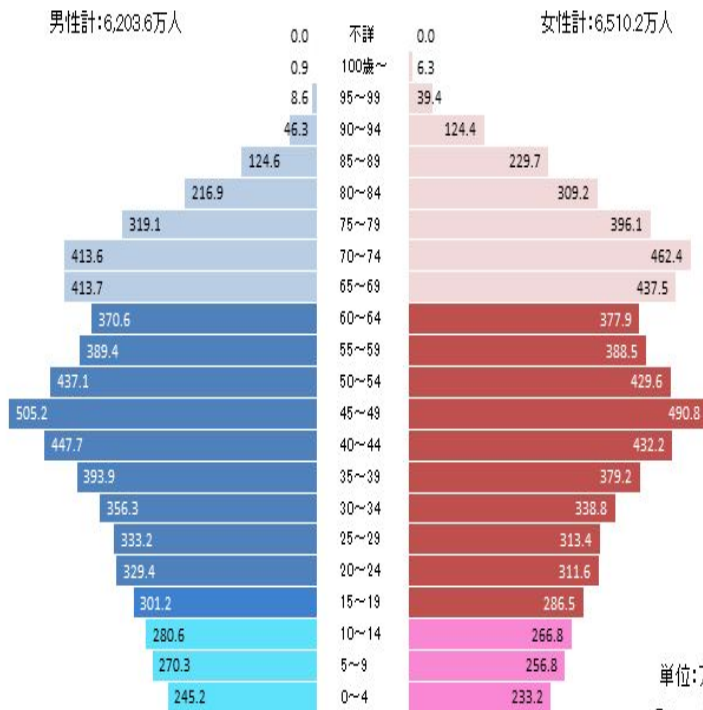
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- Intergenerational gap
 - 29% are over 65 years old, while under 15 is only 11.7%

-> The government are more supportive for the elderly

- Conservative and non-sustainable policies

日本の2020年1月1日の人口構成 (住民基本台帳ベース,総人口)



単位:万人

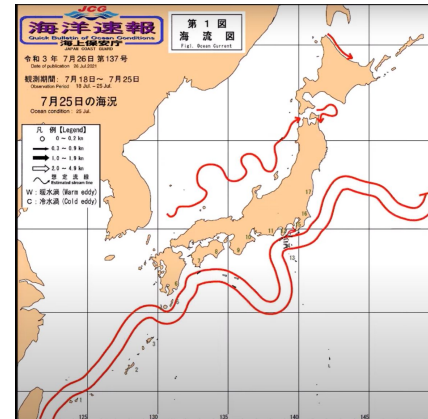
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Climate Injustice in Japan

- Farmers and fishers get more vulnerable
 - They do not emit so much CO2 relatively, but they are more vulnerable for climate change
 - Most farmers and fishers are over 65 years old
 - The lack of them causes other social issues (food security, price rise, etc.)



<https://kahoku.news/articles/20220716khn000055.html>



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f30UlaUCoGA>

Climate Injustice all over the world

- The number of Japanese company that stands in Bangladesh is increasing
 - Large-scale coal-fired power generation in Matabari
 - Deterioration of livelihoods of local residents due to construction of coal-fired power plant
 - The Japanese government, JICA, Sumitomo Corporation, etc. are involved

Climate Injustice all over the world

- Pipeline planning and human rights violations by Japanese companies
 - Construction sites include indigenous land
 - Indigenous peoples, supporters, journalists, etc. who protested were arrested

Climate Injustice all over the world

- LNG CANADA PROJECT start in 2025
 - 5 years until 2030
 - Mitsubishi Corporation invested
- CGL(Coastal Gaslink Pipeline) PROJECT start in 2023
- Loans from Mitsubishi, Sumitomo and Mizuho

- Large-scale coal-fired power generation in Matabari



- FFF Japan collected the signatures and submitted them to JICA and Sumitomo Corporation.
- No further support for new fossil fuel projects should be provided to reach the 1.5 degree target

Climate Justice we seek

Breaking through the current situation where climate change promoted by privileged and powerful countries and companies is affecting non-harmful sectors such as people in developing countries, people called minorities such as socially vulnerable people, and ecosystems.

The inequality caused by these climate changes should be corrected by the movement of the environment.

Our action in the past

- Global Climate Strike
 - We have organized demonstrations and appeal climate justice by quite a few citizens.
- Vung Ang 2 action
 - Making video for protesting that Mitsubishi corporation invests 180 billion yen in Vung Ang 2 thermal power plant.



Our action now and in the future

- Matarbari coal power plant action
 - Proceeding the action cooperated by FFF Bangladesh
 - Sumitomo corporation (one of the mega-bank in Japan) announced non-participation in the establishment of Matarbari 2 thermal power plant due to our actions.

