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TAKSIM COMMUNE
GEZI PARK AND THE UPRISING IN TURKEY



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Taksim Commune: Gezi Park & The Uprising In Turkey

Earlier this year, large parts of Istanbul became a battle zone for 3 weeks. The protests were initially against the demolition of Gezi Park. The heavy-handed policing in response helped transform the protests into a popular uprising against the Prime Minister Tayyip Erdogan and his style of authoritarian rule. The film tells the story of the occupation of Gezi Park, the evictions, and the continuing protests. It includes interviews with many participants and footage never before seen.