

Youths protest killings of 4 persons in Niger

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Youths yesterday blocked the major roads linking Maje town in Suleja Local government Area of Niger State to Dikko on Kaduna/Abuja expressway and Suleja town protesting the killings of four persons by truck drivers.

The victims were said to have died in separate accidents Saturday and yesterday.

Maje town, which host the Nigeria National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) depot experiences heavy truck traffic on daily basis.

Daily Trust learnt that while two persons were killed about two days ago at NNPC depot by a fuel tanker, another incident occurred yesterday at Maje involving two persons on a motorcycle.

The Police Public Relations Officer, Mohammed Abubakar, said one motorcyclist, identified as Yahaya Wado, died in the depot accident.