

# The Finest Premium Japanese Saké & Spirits

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#### Premium Saké is so Friendly!

- Friendly Food Pairing! Saké has significantly more "umami" levels than wine, so it is much easier to pair with almost any dish.
  - Smooth & Elegantly Friendly! Saké has 80% less acidity than wine, so its easy smoothness will have you craving the next glass!
    - Versatile! Explore Saké through a range of temperatures –
       from chilled to warmed no hard rules!
      - Easy to Enjoy! Saké is best served in a wine glass no special vessels needed.
      - No Aging! Saké is best enjoyed soonest possible.
    - Always Consistent! Thanks to centuries of crafting skills, Brew Masters create consistent Sakés, regardless of vintage.
  - Fridge Friendly! Once opened, a bottle will last a good week longer than wine when re-capped and stored in the fridge.
    - Easy to Use! Sakés have easy-open caps no tools required.
    - Complex, Delicious Flavours and Aromas! Saké has so many rich, complex fruit and fragrant characters crafted from only a few pure, natural ingredients.
      - Healthier! No Sulphites, No Histamines
        - Gluten Free!





### ASAHI SHUZO SAKÉ BREWERY

"DASSAI" YAMAGUCHI, JAPAN



5 GENERATIONS

Iconic Global Brand

#### Notables:

- Producers of the infamous 'Dassai' Saké
- Year-round production
- Produce only highest level, Premium Junmai Dai-Ginjo Saké
- Developers of the annual Yamada Nishiki Project, to promote excellence in cultivation
- · Certified Kosher



#### DASSAI "45" Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Cantaloupe Melon, Fennel, Cotton Candy **Taste:** Apricot, Anise, Pear

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 45% | Alcohol: 16% | Water: Soft

Umami richness, this well balanced saké soars with a light sweetness and vibrant acidity.

Food: Fatty Tuna Sashimi, Prosciutto Ham, Mushroom Risotto



300ml x 12

+335927

720ml x 12

+124453

1.8L x 6

+663252



#### DASSAI "45" NIGORI

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Cream, Rose Water, Japanese Chestnuts **Taste:** Almond, Honey, Macintosh Apple

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 45% | Alcohol: 13.5% | Water: Soft

Nigori ('cloudy') version of the famous Dassai '45'. Light and creamy with an elegantly mellow palate.

Food: Tandoori Chicken, Pad Thai, Strawberry Cheesecake



300ml x 12

+892943



#### DASSAI "45" SPARKLING

#### Sparkling Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Cereal with Milk, White Grape, Toasted Chestnut Taste: Almond Milk, Under-ripe Melon, William Pear

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 45% | Alcohol: 13.5% | Water: Soft

Natural second fermentation in the bottle. Light Nigori style gives a thick and creamy mouthfeel with a definite 'fizz' on the tongue. Full bodied umami with a long and dry finish.

Food: Prawn Tempura, Baked Brie, Strawberry Cheesecake



360ml x 12



#### DASSAI "39" Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Vegar

**Aroma:** Green Apple, Meyer Lemon, Magnolia Blossom **Taste:** Mango, Ripe Apricot, Honeydew Melon

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 39% | Alcohol: 16% | Water: Soft

The perfect sweet spot between the '45' and '23'. A velvety plush basket of soft tree fruits balanced with smooth acidity.

Food: Ikura (Salmon Roe), Soft French Cheese, Chicken Parmesan

Vegan

720ml x 12 w/Gift Box

300ml x 12 +124438

+660134

1.8L x 6 w/Gift Box

+427024



#### DASSAI "23"

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Lily, White Peach, Vanilla Taste: Bosc Pear, Musk Melon, Rainwater

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 23% | Alcohol: 16% | Water: Soft

The Dassai Flagship.

Refined elegance, honey-like sweetness with butterfly-effect finish.

Food: Raw Oysters, Truffle, Spot Prawns



GOLD MEDAL Winner Kura Master 2023



SILVER MEDAL Winner International Wine Challenge 2023



300ml x 12

+124420

720ml x 12 w/Gift Box

+674457

1.8L x 6 w/Gift Box

+427027



#### DASSAI BISUI ELEGANTLY TIPSY

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Cantaloupe, White Peach, Ripe La France Pear **Taste:** Ripe La France Pear, White Peach, Honey

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 23% | Alcohol: 11% | Water: Soft

Even with low alcohol content of only 11%, Dassai Elegantly Tipsy fully embodies the dignified fragrance of Junmai Daiginjo. Indulge in mild tipsiness with elegance.

Food: Prawn and Dried Mullet Roe Capellini, Gouda Cheese, Fondant Chocolat

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720ml x 12 w/Gift Box

+332968



#### DASSAI HAYATA

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Cantaloupe, White Peach, Japanese Pear **Taste:** Japanese Pear, White Peach, Pineapple

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 23% | Alcohol: 15% | Water: Soft

By applying the latest patented technology for pasteurization on Dassai 23, we aim to reduce heat damage, an issue faced by common saké brewing, thus maintaining the crisp taste of freshly pressed saké.

Food: Fresh Raw Oyster, Vegetable Tempura, Caviar

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720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+175533

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#### DASSAI MIRAI FUTURE WITH FARMERS

Aroma: Cantaloupe, White Peach, La France Pear Taste: La France Pear, Cantaloupe, White Peach

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 8% | Alcohol: 15% | Water: Soft

Dassai crafted using "Togai" ungraded Yamada Nishiki with 8% rice polishing ratio. Absence of "Shinpaku" makes polishing to the limit possible. Even skilled farmers will reap 10% of "Togai" rice which increases their economic burden. This saké is made to face this issue. Contrary to common opinion associated with transparent saké brought forth by high polishing ratio, it has a powerful and unique charm.

Food: Grilled Prawn, Oven Roasted Grouper, Black Truffle Risotto

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+332971



#### DASSAI CENTRIFUGE

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Cantaloupe, White Peach, Japanese Pear Taste: Japanese Pear, Pineapple, Muscat

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 23% | Alcohol: 16% | Water: Soft

Asahi Shuzo first introduced the centrifuge machine into Japan's saké industry on a commercial basis in 2000. It represents Dassai's unending pursuit for better saké. Saké extracted by centrifuge without pressure has a refined transparency and delicacy at the same time.

Food: Hamachi Sushi, Thinly Sliced Flounder Sashimi, Fresh Tomato

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720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+302150



#### DASSAI "BEYOND" Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: White Lily, Wild Rose, Asian Pear Taste: Ripe Plum, Manuka Honey, Rhubarb

Once-in-a-lifetime experience. This masterpiece re-defines Ultra premium. Unparalleled smoothness with clean, complex flavours, followed by a stunning length of finish. "Beyond" comparison, Beyond words.

Food: Caviar, Dungeness Crab, Fugu (Blow Fish) Sashimi



#### **VERY LIMITED** QUANTITY

720ml x 3 w/Gift Box

+256878



#### DASSAI SHOCHU Rice Shochu

Alcohol: 39%

It is made by distilling the freshly squeezed saké lees of Dassai and extracting the alcohol content as is. It has captured the exquisite fragrance of Dassai and encapsulated it within the shochu. The high alcohol content of 39% is intentional, as it allows the beautiful aroma to be extracted to its fullest extent, resulting in the best possible state of the fragrance.

Food: Bonito Sashimi, Pan Fried Dumpling, Chocolate

GOLD MEDAL

Winner Kura Master





720ml x 6 w/Gift Box



### DAISHICHI SAKÉ BREWERY

EST. 1752 - FUKUSHIMA, JAPAN



**10** GENERATIONS

Elite Kimoto Masters

#### Notables:

- Super-Flat Rice Polishing method
- Only Kimoto Style (traditional, labour-intensive brewing method)
- 4 Separate Koji Rooms for each different stage
- Developers of the 2 Riedel saké glasses (Dai-Ginjo and Junmai)
- Daishichi Saké is matured for a minimum of 1 year, some 3+ years



#### KIMOTO

#### Kimoto Junmai

Aroma: Camembert Cheese, Roasted Nuts, Toasted Cereal

Taste: Vanilla, Shitake Mushroom, Lychee

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku | Rice Polished to 69% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: +3 | Acidity: 1.8 | Water: Medium

Full maturation creates a perfect alignment of rich flavours and acidity with a fresh, clean aftertaste.

 $\label{thm:enjoyed} \mbox{Enjoyed warm, it gives an embracing, soothingly full experience.}$ 

Food: Sliced Wagyu, Deep Fried Oysters, Southern Fried Chicken

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+137070



#### MINOWAMON

#### Kimoto Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma**: Bosc Pear, Almond Tofu, Tapioca **Taste**: Soft Vanilla, Apricots, Rice Pudding

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: +2 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Medium

Clean mouth feel with underlying umami richness and naturally elegant notes. Gentle silky, mellow textures.

Food: Grilled Mackerel, Broiled Lobster, Sashimi with Olive Oil

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box +137120



#### HOREKI DAISHICHI

#### Kimoto Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Ripe Peach, Chestnut, Light Yogurt **Taste:** Velvet Cream, Rice Pudding, Apple Yogurt

Rice: Yamada Nishiki  $\mid$  Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 17%  $\mid$  SMV: +2  $\mid$  Acidity: 1.4  $\mid$  Water: Medium

This limited production saké is carefully matured to give sweet-sour accents and boasts an exquisite, fruity aroma that envelopes you in its gentle, creamy perfume. It has received great praise, thanks to its particularly well-balanced body and unparalleled richness.

Food: Uni (Sea Urchin), Peking Duck, Ripe Cantaloupe

720ml x 3 w/Gift Box +178933





#### MYOKA RANGYOKU Junmai Dai-Ginjo Shizuku Genshu

Aroma: Violet, Fresh Cream, Pear

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Super Flat Rice Polished to 50 %

Alcohol: 16% | Water: Medium Hard

An extraordinary saké in a league all its own. This exquisite Kimoto-style saké is ever so gently Shizuku (drip filtered) finished. Only select years of the highest quality qualify for the Myoka Rangyoku series, pushing the boundaries of what will become a true masterpiece saké. The saké is cellared for at least 4 years, evolving into a rare complex, rich, full-bodied Dai-Ginjo.

Food: Rich cuisines, game, fowl, smoked fish, complex pastas

### VERY LIMITED QUANTITY

720ml x 2 w/Gift Box

+388573



#### MYOKA RANGYOKU GRAND CUVÉE Junmai Dai-Ginjo Shizuku Genshu Vintage Blend

Aroma: Violet, Fresh Cream, Honey

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Super Flat Rice Polished to 50 %

Alcohol: 16% | Water: Medium Hard

Just when you thought you had reached the top, Daishichi raises the bar to a nearly impossible level, by carefully blending the very best from multiple select vintages dating from the last century to recent years. The result is a harmonious, yet powerful fusion with a well-rounded-body blessed with a blissful finish. Truly a brewer's endless dream to summon the qualities that simply could not exist at the same time in a single vintage. It has received great honors and accolades, including being selected as the toast saké for the G8 Summit in Japan.

Only 1000 bottles of Grand Cuvée are born every 3 years.

Food: Sea Bream in saké-kasu sauce, Grilled Crab, Wild Boar Mushroom Stew

### VERY LIMITED QUANTITY

750ml x 2 w/Gift Box

+388570



#### KIMOTO UMÉ

#### Japanese Plum

Aroma: Luscious Plummy Fruit, Yogurt Marzipan

Taste: Apricot, Strawberry, Ripe Plum

Alcohol: 12%

Very delicate plum liqueur on the basis of Kimoto saké, with a long finish; the refreshing alcohol wonderfully orchestrates the soft sweetness and the elegant acidity

Food: Roasted Beef, Seafood Carpaccio, Grilled Lobster

### LIMITED QUANTITY

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+340971



### KOJIMA SOHONTEN

SAKÉ BREWERY 💽



"TOKO"

EST. 1597 - YAMAGATA, JAPAN



Saké of the Rising Sun

#### Notables:

- Exclusive saké supplier to feudal lords in Yamagata during the Samurai era
- Yamagata was the 1st prefecture to receive International GI (Geographic Indicator) designation
- Well water source flows a consistent 11° C throughout the year
- Environmentally sustainable focused brewery achieved carbon neutral status







#### TOKO JUNMAI

#### Junmai

Aroma: Banana, Persimmon, Rice Flour Taste: Chestnut, Clove, Tapioca

Rice: Haenuki | Rice Polished to 60% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: 4 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Soft, delicate texture spreads across the palate, along with sweet fragrance of ripening melon and bananas. Enjoy warm or chilled.

Food: Clam Chowder, Comte Cheese, Pork Gyoza

720ml x 6

+118615

1.8L x 6

+118610



Japan 2020

GOLD MEDAL Winner Fine Saké Awards



#### TOKO JUNMAI GINJO GENSHU

#### Junmai Ginjo Genshu (Undiluted)

Aroma: Red Apple, Nashi Pear, Hay Taste: Apple Juice, Pineapple, Pear

Rice: Haenuki | Rice Polished to 55%

Alcohol: 16% | SMV: -4 | Acidity: 1.6 | Water: Soft

Un-diluted at 16% alcohol gives this saké loads of Umami. Long and satisfying on the finish.

Food: Deep Fried Chicken, Sweet and Sour Pork, Braised Beef

720ml x 6

+118618

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#### TOKO KARAKUCHI

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Watermelon, Gourd, Steamed Rice Taste: Cantaloupe, Cucumber, Lemon

Rice: Dewakirari | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: +5 | Acidity: 1.7 | Water: Soft

Crisp and refreshing flavours that will compliment any type of food. Calming Ginjo aromas and Umami on the palate will keep you coming back for more.

Food: White Fish Sashimi, Wild Vegetable Tempura, Salted Chicken Skewer

720ml x 6 w/ Gift Box



#### TOKO HIDARI-KIKI

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Fuji Apples, Pineapple, Lily **Taste:** Peach, Pear, Pineapple

Rice: Dewa-Sansan | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: -1 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

This special saké is made with local Dewa-Sansan rice which is famous for its softness. It has an aroma of tropical fruits with a taste that is light and fresh on the pallet. "Hidari-Kiki" (a left-handed person) is slang from the Edo period which means "drinker". The name comes from the fact that the tokkuri would be held in the right hand while the cup would be held in the left.

Food: Seafood Carpaccio, Roasted Beef, Mozzarella

NEW!

LIMITED QUANTITY

720ml x 6 w/ Gift Box

+340276



#### TOKO FUKURO-TSURI

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Fuji Apple, Musk Melon, Wild Strawberry **Taste:** Ruby Grapefruit, Lychee, White Pepper

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 35% Alcohol: 16% | SMV: 0 | Acidity: 1.2 | Water: Soft

Gentle free-drip press style yields only a fraction compared to regular pressing. Magnificently aromatic, smooth, silky and soft flavours.

Food: Seafood Ceviche, Roast Beef, Avocado and Shrimp Salad







PLATINUM Sake

Sake China Awards Beijing 2018 720ml x 2 w/Gift Box



### NAKANO SAKÉ BREWERY

"KUNI ZAKARI" EST. 1844 - AICHI, JAPAN



**8** G E N E R A T I O N S

The Innovators

#### Notables:

- · Fusion of traditional craftsmanship with latest technology
- Large estate owners of iconic Japanese Plum varietals
- Masters of the art of elegant fruit-based beverages
- Top 10 Saké Brewery according to "World Saké Brewery Ranking" (2021)



#### INDIGO WIND

#### Sparkling

**Aroma:** Green Apple, Marshmallow, Vanilla **Taste:** Rice Pudding, Strawberry, Ambrosia Apple

Rice: Local Rice | Alcohol: 6% | SMV: -40 | Acidity: 2.8

Citrus and vanilla flavours intertwine in a gentle, satisfying

balance of sweetness and acidity.

Food: Edamame, Grilled Squid, French Fries

200ml x 15

+ 31336



#### SAIKA DAI-GINJO NAMA-CHO SAKÉ

#### Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Smoke, Asian Pear, Cooked Rice **Taste:** Granny Smith Apple, Cacao, Apricot

Rice: Ginpu | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 13% | SMV: 3 | Acidity: 1 | Water: Soft

Dry, medium-bodied with good mouth-feel. Versatile and very food friendly.

Food: Margherita Pizza, Pan Fried Sole, Creamy Seafood

180ml x 12

+ 56636

300ml x 12

+47855

720ml x 6

+ 47869

1.8L x 6



#### HANDA-GO 1801 JUNMAI GINJO SAKÉ Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma**: Ripe Pear, Chestnut, Banana **Taste**: Rice, Green Apple, Grapes

Rice: Wakamizu | Rice Polished to 55% Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: +2 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Handa-go Junmai Ginjo is exemplary of how Ginjo style shines with Yeast No. 1801. The Wakamizu rice variety is ideal for Aichi Prefecture sakés. This beautiful saké flows from its gorgeous aromas to its rich, flavourful taste. A saké that is truly loved by locals.

Food: Vegetable Tempura, Grilled Mackerel, Pickled Onions

+ 47866

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Silver Prize Milano Saké Challenge 2023

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GRAND GOLD MEDAL

Awards Japan 4 Years 2020-2023



GOLD MEDAL Winner Fine Saké Awards Japan 7 Years 2017-2023







Double Gold Prize Milano Saké Challenge 2023

#### SAIKA DAI-GINJO Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Wild Grape, White Lily, Field Flowers Taste: Lychee, Green Apple acidity, Fennel

Rice: Ginpu | Rice Polished to 50%

Alcohol: 15 % | SMV: 3 | Acidity: 1.1 | Water: Soft

Elegantly dry with soft fruit and wild floral aromas. Enjoy chilled in a wine glass!

Food: Scallops in Cream, Grilled Prawns, Chicken Yakisoba

720ml x 6

+243814

1.8L x 6

+243819



JYOSEN KUNI ZAKARI

#### Regular

Aroma: Roasted Chestnut, Melon, Pear Taste: Honeydew Melon, Hazel Nut, Lemon

Rice: Local Rice | Rice Polished to 70%

Alcohol: 15% | SMV: 3 | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Soft

Medium-bodied with a long smooth finish. A beautifully versatile saké.

Food: Fried Calamari, Grilled Pork Chops, BBQ Shrimp

1.8L x 6

+847863



#### GAHOUJIN Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Green Musk Melon, Quince, Granny Smith Apple Taste: Ripe Banana, Rice Umami, White Peach

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 30%

Alcohol: 15% | SMV:  $\pm 0.0$  | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

Over 300 years of brewing experience culminate to present the evolving taste of a new era.

Very fruity aroma with clean subtle sweetness. Creamy texture, bursting with wafts of savoury rice.

Food: Wild Vegetable Tempura, Grilled Halibut, Whitefish Sashimi

w/Gift Box +150072

720ml x 3







Saké Awards Japan 2020, 2022 & 2023



#### UMÉ Japanese Plum

Aroma: Dark Plum, Caramel, Lemon Taste: Tart Plum, Citrus, Marzipan

Alcohol: 10.5%

Juicy, spicy sweet balanced with tart, slightly tannic finish.

Perfect straight, over ice or mixed with soda.

+568907

300ml x 20

2L x 6 +875583



#### ROSE UMÉ Japanese Plum – Rose

Aroma: Red Rose, Raspberry, Plum Blossom Taste: Rose Water, Black Plum, Citrus

Alcohol: 9%

300ml x 12 +165396

Delightful aromas and flavours of natural rose

petals with elegant, tangy plum.



#### SPARKLING ROSE UMÉ

#### Sparkling Japanese Plum - Rose

Aroma: Rose Water, Raspberry, Concord Grapes Taste: Black Plum, Rose Petals, Citrus

Alcohol: 5.5%

300ml x 12 + 56683

Fruity and fragrant with drifts of noble Rose in this refreshing carbonated masterpiece.



#### KOCHA TEA UMÉ

#### Japanese Plum - Black Tea

Aroma: Black Tea, Tart Plum, Apricot

Taste: Green Persimmon, Cuban Cigar, Ripe Plum

Alcohol: 12%

100% Ceylon Tea

An inspiring marriage of sweet-tart plums wrapped in a

Ceylon Tea blanket of flavours.

300ml x 12

+193136





#### SAKAGURA UMÉ

#### Japanese Plum - Nigori Pressed

Aroma: Juicy Plum, Ripe Peach, Persimmon Taste: Apricot, Honey, Sweet Tea

Alcohol: 8%

300ml x 12

+719765

Intense waves of fruity plum flesh aromas leading to a rich, viscous texture balanced with a clean freshness.



#### JASMINE UMÉ

#### Japanese Plum - Jasmine

Aroma: Fresh Jasmine Blossoms, Plum Jam, Tobacco Taste: Sweet Jasmine Tea, Plum Brandy, Tangy Black Plum

Alcohol: 9.5%

Exotic, fragrant Jasmine notes swimming with sweet, tart black plum.

720ml x 6 +107119



#### LAVENDER UMÉ

#### Japanese Plum - Lavender

Aroma: Sweet Floral, Mild Mint, Balsamic Vinegar

Taste: Earthy, Green Apple, Citrus

Alcohol: 9.5%

Sweet herbaceous, earthy flavours of Lavender flowers coddled in elegant, ripe plum.

720ml x 6 +107122



#### KUNI ZAKARI PLUM WINE

#### Plum Wine

Aroma: Orange, Cantaloupe, Plum

Taste: Butter, Chardonnay, Ripe Muscat Melon

Alcohol: 7.5%

Refreshing blend of white wine with the sweet, sour magic of plum wine.

500ml x 12 +347603



#### CHITA UMÉ

#### Japanese Premium Plum

**Aroma:** Peach, Apricot, Young Green Grass **Taste:** Peach, Plum Acidity, Deep Sweetness of Rock Sugar

Alcohol 14.5%

Perfect blend of the peach-like sweetness of the two premium, perfectly ripe Nanko Plum varietals: the condensed umami of Red Nanko Plums and the crisp sourness of Green Nanko Plums specially selected from the Nanko Umé Plum Estate Orchards. Enjoy this luxury straight or over ice.

720ml x 6

+366235







#### OBAACHAN'S YUZU

#### Japanese Yuzu

**Aroma:** Yuzu, Lemon, White Grapefruit **Taste:** Yuzu, Lemon Peel, Creamed Honey

Alcohol: 7.5%

All-natural Japanese Yuzu bursting with sweet, tart acidity, citrus aromas and a kiss of peel bitterness.

300ml x 12

+235135



#### MOMO NO OSAKÉ

#### Peach

**Aroma:** Fresh Cut Peach, Rose, White Grapefruit **Taste:** White Peach, Honeycomb, Lemon

Alcohol: 7.3%

Gorgeous aromas and flavours of ripened peach juice in a luscious purée. Drink chilled, over ice or craft the perfect Bellini. 300ml x 12

+456335



#### NASHI NO OSAKÉ

#### **Asian Pear**

Aroma: Western Pear, Melted Butter, Gala Apple Taste: Grated Apple, Lemon, Anjou Pear

Alcohol: 7.5%

Deliciously fresh, crisp, all-natural flavours of ripe Asian Pears.

300ml x 12

+744409



#### MIKAN NO OSAKÉ

#### **Mandarin Orange**

**Aroma:** Passion Fruit, Orange Blossom, White Flower Honey **Taste:** Mandarin Orange Peel, Spiced Cantaloupe, Passion Fruit

Alcohol: 7.5%

Bright, juicy flavour bursting from a fresh-squeezed ripe mandarin orange.

300ml x 12

+ 27193



#### POMEGRANATE OSAKÉ

#### Pomegranate

**Aroma:** Pomegranate, Black Cherry, Crushed Fig **Taste:** Pomegranate, Dried Fruits, Stewed Cranberry

Alcohol: 7%

Soft tannins lead to expressive explosion of pomegranate richness kissed with a hint of bitterness.

300ml x 12



#### CITRUS MIX OSAKÉ

#### Japanese Local Citrus Mix

Aroma: Tart Citrus, Yuzu, Summer Orange Taste: White Grapefruit, Yuzu, Sudachi

Alcohol: 7.5%

Unique Japanese native citrus fruits combine in a medley of refreshing bursts of sunshine: Hassaku Japanese Orange, Summer Mandarin, Kiyomi Japanese Orange, Yuzu Citrus, Sudachi Citrus and Lemon.

300ml x 12

+165390



#### TORO MELT LYCHEE

#### Lychee

Aroma: Lychee, Aloe, Grapefruit Taste: Ripe Lychee, Mango, Aloe

Alcohol: 7.5%

Melt in your mouth, chewy viscosity with hints of rose, pear and watermelon.

300ml x 12

+97571



#### TORO MELT PINEAPPLE

#### Pineapple

Aroma: Ripe Pineapple, Guava, Lemon Taste: Pineapple, White Grapefruit, Peach

Alcohol: 7.5%

Pineapple viscosity oozing with notes of lychee, pear and caramel.

300ml x 12 + 97574



#### TORO MELT MOMO PEACH

#### Peach

Aroma: Manuka Honey, Apricot, Honeysuckle Taste: Ripe Peach, Nectarine, Creamed Honey

Alcohol: 7.5%

Luscious, velvety peach flavours dripping with a soft viscousness.

300ml x 12 +107125



#### TORO MELT MIKAN ORANGE

Aroma: Orange Blossom, Blood Orange, Grapefruit Taste: Mandarin Orange, Passion Fruit, Creamsicle

Alcohol: 7.5%

Fresh, juicy and chewy, bursting with rich, ripe orange flavours.

300ml x 12 +107662



# OKU NO MATSU

### SAKÉ BREWERY

EST. 1716 - FUKUSHIMA, JAPAN



#### Diverse Craftsmanship

#### Notables:

- · International Wine Challenge (IWC) Grand Champion Saké
- Diverse portfolio from Sparkling to select limited production elite sakés
- · First saké producer to use the pasteurizer
- Sponsors of Formula Car Racing in Japan



GOLD MEDAL Winner

Winner Fine Saké Awards Japan 2019



#### SPARKLING Junmai Dai-Ginio

Aroma: Bread Pudding, White Chocolate, Baked Sweet Potato

Taste: Ripe White Grapefruit, Spiced Apple, Vanilla

Rice: Masshigura | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 11% | SMV: -25 | Acidity: -2.5 | Water: Soft

Light, frothy and breezy. Refreshing micro-bubbles from bottle second fermentation ending with pleasant soft-landing sweetness.

Food: Salmon Carpaccio, Seafood Salad, Strawberries

290ml x 12 +170446



#### KINMON

#### Regular

**Aroma:** Sweet Potato, Roasted Barley, Ambrosia Apple **Taste:** Almond, Chestnut, Asian Pear

Rice: Chiyo Nishiki | Rice Polished to 70% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: -1 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Medium-full body with gorgeous fragrant pear aromas. Traditional style enjoyed chilled or warm.

Food: Clam Chowder, Grilled Sockeye Salmon, Smoked Meat Sandwich

720ml x 12

+99683





#### SAKURA

#### Dai-Ginio

**Aroma:** Vanilla Nut Brittle, Coconut Water, Papaya Custard **Taste:** Roasted Peanuts, Meringue, Pineapple Sherbet

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15.4% | SMV: 5 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

Silky, dry-yet-fruity, light to medium body. Presented in an elegant gold embossed gift box.

Food: Garlic Wine Mussels, Spinach Salad, Brie Cheese

300ml x 12 w/Gift Box

+212170

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

+216306



2018 INT'L WINE Wine Challenge Grand Champion



#### ADATARA

#### Ginjo

Aroma: Chardonnay Grape, Honeysuckle, Wild Strawberry

Taste: Ripe Cherry, Green Apple, Red Peach

Rice: Men koi na | Rice Polished to 60% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: 4 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

Complex lively aromas, with silky light body and bright flavours. Overall Grand Champion Saké from IWC 2018 Saké Competition.

Food: Cheese Omelet, Chicken Yakitori, Grilled Oysters

720ml x 6



Winner Fine Saké Awards Japan 2019



#### YUSA Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma:** Orange Blossom, Ripe Pear, Honeydew Melon **Taste:** Macadamia Nuts, Mild Toasted Nuts, Taffy

Rice: Koshi Hikari | Rice Polished to 55% Alcohol: 16% | SMV: -1.5 | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Soft

A wonderfully balanced melon aroma with a soft, gently sweet creamy touch, leading to a mild clean finish.

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Food: Steamed Clams, Grilled Pork Chop, Garlic Butter Scallops

720ml x 6 +136273



GOLD MEDAL Winner Fine Saké Awards

Japan 2023



#### ${\sf NAVY\ BLUE}$

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Muscat, Cantaloup, Pineapple **Taste:** White Peach, Vanilla, Peanut

Rice: Chiyonishiki | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: -2 | Acidity: 1.7 | Water: Soft

Refreshing aroma and crisp flavour with depth of umami. Awarded Gold Medal in the Fine Sake Award 2023

Food: Teriyaki Beef Burger, Clam Chowder, Pizza Margherita

NEW!

720ml x 6

+324333



#### HIYA-OROSHI

#### Tokubetsu Junmai Genshu

**Aroma:** Apple, Banana, Sweet Potato **Taste:** Vanilla, Peanut, Walnut

Rice: Chiyonishiki | Rice Polished to 60%

Alcohol: 16% | SMV: -+1 | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Soft

Brewed in winter and then aged in summer storage to give its flavour enhanced maturity. It faithfully delivers the deliciousness of unrefined saké. Pleasant and gentle aromas with rich umami flavour.

Food: Blue Fin Tuna Sashimi, Teriyaki Chicken, Baked Potato

ONLY A FEW LEFT

720ml x 6



### SAKÉ ONE SAKÉ BREWERY

"MOMOKAWA" EST. 1997 - OREGON, USA

#### New World Pioneers

#### Notables:

- The largest Craft Saké producer outside Japan
- · Japanese tradition crafted in Oregon
- Produce only premium Junmai Ginjo style sakés
- · Honoured with numerous Awards
- Certified Kosher



#### MOONSTONE ASIAN PEAR SAKÉ

Infused Junmai Ginjo

Aroma: Fresh Pear, Apricot, Slate

Taste: Ripe Asian Pear, Green Melons, Agave Syrup

Rice Polished to 58%

Alcohol: 12% | SMV: -8 | Acidity: 1.7 | Water: Soft

Pleasant balance of crisp ginjo saké with a hint of dryness and fresh, lightly sweet pear. Pronounced aroma with a smooth flavourful finish.

Food: Tuna Tataki Salad, Spicy Ramen, Hawaiian Pizza

300ml x 12

+100487

750ml x 12

+840835

#### 92 PTS, GREAT VALUE, GOLD MEDAL Ultimate Wine Challenge '19

94 PTS, GOLD MEDAL Tasting Panel '19



#### MOMOKAWA DIAMOND

Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma:** Plum, Green Apple, Melon **Taste:** Anise, Citrus, Honeydew Melon

Rice Polished to 58%

Alcohol: 14.8% | SMV: +4 | Acidity: 1.8 | Water: Soft

Medium-dry and crisp with a balance of soft water notes and fall flavours of apple and pear. Melon, and mild anise on the nose.

Food: Grilled Salami, BBQ Ribs, Roasted Peppers

300ml x 12

+514042

750ml x 12

+586941

#### 89 PTS, BEST BUY, SILVER MEDAL

World Saké Challenge '19



TOP 100 Vanmag Awards



#### MOMOKAWA PEARL

#### Junmai Ginjo Nigori

**Aroma:** Coconut, Pineapple, Vanilla **Taste:** Banana, Coconut, Cream

Rice Polished to 58%

Alcohol: 14.8% | SMV: -18 | Acidity: 2.5 | Water: Soft

A richly thick 'cloudy 'Nigori (less filtered) saké is bright and creamy with bold tropical notes.

Food: Butter Chicken, Cambozola Cheese, Spicy Ling Cod

300ml x 12

+ 80713

750ml x 12

+586958

#### 93 pts, BEST BUY, GOLD MEDAL

World Saké Challenge '19 GOLD

MEDAL London Saké Challenge '19

GOLD MEDAL Tasting Panel '19



#### "G" & "BABY G"

#### Junmai Ginjo Genshu (Undiluted)

Aroma: Perfumed Anjou, Lush Melons, Sticky Rice Taste: Water Chestnut, Black Pepper, Ripe Cantaloupe

Rice Polished to 58%

Alcohol: 18% | SMV: +3 | Acidity: 1.9 | Water: Soft

Rich, genshu style saké that is big and bold with fruit aromas supported with a velvety dense body featuring melon, cherry and pepper finish.

Food: Gourmet burgers, Poutine, Spicy Thai

300ml x 12

+600676

750ml x 6



### TAMA NO HIKARI SAKÉ BREWERY

EST. 1673 - KYOTO, JAPAN



Junmai-Only Revivalists

#### Notables:

- Resurrected Omachi Rice (4th most popular varietal)
- Flat rice polish ('henpei')
- Produced in the ancient capital area of Kyoto
- · Revivalists of Junmai style



Wine & Spirit

GOLD OMACHI Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Fresh Rainwater, Cherry Leaves, Wild-Flowers **Taste:** Persimmon, Sweet Rice, Rich Vanilla

Rice: Bizen Omachi | Rice Polished to 50%

Alcohol: 16.2% | SMV: 3 | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Medium

Splashes of soft, sweet rice flavour, and rich umami from the classic Omachi varietal.

Food: Smoked Salmon, Cheese Fondue, Crab & Artichoke Dip

300ml x 12

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+ 80341

720ml x 6

+153288



KARAKUCHI

Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma:** Tofu, Fresh Rice Cake, Herbaceous **Taste:** Bamboo Leaf, Peach, Rice Candy

Rice: Miyama Nishiki + | Rice Polished to 60%

Alcohol: 15.4% | SMV: 5.5 | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Medium

Nice light steamed rice, and a touch of peach finishing very dry, balanced with natural acidity.

Food: Salt & Pepper Chicken Wings, Edamame, Veggie Tempura

720ml x 6

+115827

1800ml x 6

+116985



YAMAHAI "CLASSIC"

Junmai Ginjo

Aroma: Shiitake Mushroom, Buckwheat Noodle, Nougat Taste: Cream Cheese, Brazil Nuts, Custard Cream

Rice: Yamada Nishiki + | Rice Polished to 60% Alcohol: 16.4% | SMV: 1.5 | Acidity: 1.8 | Water: Medium

Try this versatile saké chilled or warmed to explore and appreciate its alluring depth and gaminess borne from its traditional brewing process.

 ${\sf Food: BBQ\ Chicken,\ Coarse\ Pate,\ Hard\ French\ Cheeses.}$ 

720ml x 6 +256008



#### BLACK LABEL Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Muscat Melon, Western Pear, Ripe Banana **Taste:** White Grapes, Lychee, Delicious Apple

Rice: Bizen Omachi | Rice Polished to 35% Alcohol: 16.2% | SMV: 2.5 | Acidity: 1.2 | Water: Medium

Exquisite, defined and elegantly smooth, carefully craft polished to 35%... the very best from Tama no Hikari.

Food: Prosciutto Ham, Filet Mignon, Chinese-style Steamed Fish

720ml x 4 w/Gift Box

+116994

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### TENZAN SAKÉ BREWERY

"SHICHIDA" EST. 1875 - SAGA. JAPAN



**5** GENERATIONS

Robust Elegance

#### Notables:

- New wave of younger generation visionaries re-creating their profiles with fresher, elegantly finessed sakés
- · Site of the famous Firefly Festival
- Southern Japan Saké crafted from some of the hardest waters in Japan



#### JUDGES SELECTION Alberta Beverage Awards 2020

#### GOLD MEDAL

US National Saké Appraisal 2019



#### SHICHIDA JUNMAI MUROKA

#### Junmai

**Aroma:** Banana, Hazel Nut, Apple **Taste:** Honey, Pear Skin, Toasted Nuts

Rice: Reiho | Rice Polished to 65%

Alcohol: 17% | SMV: 3.2 | Acidity: 1.9 | Water: Hard

Brilliant balance of robust umami and acidity, riding on rich minerality.

Food: Rib-Eye Steak, Poutine, Fried Softshell Crab

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720ml x 6 +681841

### SHICHIDA AIYAMA HIYA-OROSHI SOLD OUT!



Junmai Genshu

**Aroma:** Ripe Grape, Mango **Taste:** Fig, Light Cream, Cashew Nut

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Rice: Aiyama | Rice Polished to 75% Alcohol: 17% | SMV: 0 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Hard

This Junmai saké has been pasteurized once and matured for a summer, resulting in a characteristic aroma reminiscent of ripe grapes and a rich, sweet and savory flavour.

Food: Chinese Stir Fried Beef w/ Green Pepper, Hamburger Steak

720ml x 6 +308797



#### Vegan

#### GOLD MEDAL Winner Kura Master Paris 2019

#### GOLD MEDAL US National Saké Appraisal

#### GOLD MEDAL

Winner Fine Saké Awards Japan 2020



#### SHICHIDA JUNMAI DAI-GINJO

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Pineapple, White peach, Musk Melon **Taste:** Tropical Fruit, Melon Cocktail, Rice Cake

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 45% Alcohol: 16% | SMV: 1.6 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Hard

Elegantly fruity sake with delicate white floral aroma. Silky smooth on the palate with tropical fruit acidity.

Food: Caprese Salad, Warmed Olives, Caviar

720ml x 6 +217445



#### SHICHIDA JUNMAI DAI-GINJO PARFAIT

#### Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Rich Floral Aroma, Lychee,

Taste: Melon, Green Apple, Rice Sweetness

Rice: Yamada Nishiki | Rice Polished to 25% Alcohol: 16% | SMV: -2.1 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Hard

Beautifully pure and delicate with a smooth mouth-feel balanced with elegant umami and refreshing acidity.

Food: Fresh Oysters, Caprese Salad, Lightly Poached Halibut

+426522

720ml x 2







TOP 3 U.S. National Saké Appraisal 2023



### YAMAMOTO SAKÉ BREWERY

EST. 1901 - AKITA, JAPAN

~New to Portfolio~



6 GENERATIONS

Cult Brewer

#### Notables:

- One of the iconic "Next 5" group of leading-edge Akita craft saké brewers
- Exclusively limited Canada is the only export country in the western hemisphere
- Brewery is near the Shirakami Mountains, a World Natural Heritage site, the source of soft mineral-rich water
- Creativity and performance influenced by Yamamoto-san's earlier days as a rock band manager, flows through the spirit of the brewery shining playfulness on their very seriously crafted sakés



#### DOKARA EXTRA DRY

#### Junmai

Aroma: Granny Smith Apple, Muscat Melon, Young White Peach Taste: Lemon Lime Soda, Ourin Apple, Rice

Rice: Ginsan | Rice Polished to 65%

Alcohol: 15% | SMV: +15 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Yeast: Sexy Yamamoto

Vibrant Yuzu aroma, draws to natural koji sweetness. Refreshingly tart with clean acidity.

Food: Roasted Chicken, Lasagna, Fries

SOLD OUT
NEW STOCK, APRIL 2024

720ml x 6

+356819



#### PURE BLACK

#### Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma:** Grapefruit, Muscat Melon, Kiwifruit **Taste:** Sorbet, Citrus Peel, Honey

Rice: Akita Saké Komachi | Rice Polished to 55% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: +3 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

Yeast: Akita Yeast No.12

Ripe, rich fruity aromas with soft koji sweetness. Light mouthfeel, landing like a feather.

Food: Fresh Oyster, Grilled Lobster, Pizza Margherita

720ml x 6 +356822



### YOSHIDA SAKÉ BREWERY

"GASSAN" EST. 1850 - SHIMANE, JAPAN



5 GENERATIONS

Elegant Excellence

#### Notables:

- · Softest water in Japan used for saké
- President is recognized as one of the top Saké Assessors in Japan
- · A leader of the new wave generation of young Presidents of saké producers
- Located near Izumo Taisha, one of the most historically significant Shinto Shrines







#### GASSAN HOUJUN KARAKUCHI

#### Junmai

**Aroma:** White Grapefruit, White Mushroom, Cucumber **Taste:** Musk Melon, Ginger, Mint

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku | Rice Polished to 70% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: 9 | Acidity: 1.9 | Water: Soft

Opens with wafting refreshing waves of fruit, evolving to elegant dryness. Rich, full umami guides the journey.

Food: Grilled Lobster, Seafood Pizza, Carbonara Linguini

720ml x 6 + **80245** 



MEDAL Kura Master France 2022



Alberta Beverage Awards 2020



#### GASSAN IZUMO

#### Junmai Ginjo

**Aroma:** Pineapple, Apricot, Cotton Candy **Taste:** Apple Sauce, Ripe Pineapple, Field Strawberries

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku | Rice Polished to 60% Alcohol: 15% | SMV:  $\pm 0$  | Acidity: 1.5 | Water: Soft

Soft landing sweetness with silky mouth feel.

Beautifully structured with clean overall umami.

Food: Broiled Black Cod, Hamachi Tiradito, Caesar Salad

720ml x 6 + 80237



#### G A S S A N Junmai Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Lychee, Honeydew Melon, Lily of the valley **Taste:** Wild Berries, Ruby Grapefruit, Dried Apricot

Rice: Yamada nishiki | Rice Polished to 50% Alcohol: 15% | SMV: 2 | Acidity: 1.6 | Water: Soft

Berry-like sweetness and acidity opens up leading to a long finish. A refined sake with a sweet creamy essence crafted from the softest waters.

Food: Seafood Pasta, Triple Brie Cheese, Grilled Scallops

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box + 80232



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Honoured Pioneers

GENERATIONS

## YOSHI NO GAWA

### SAKÉ BREWERY

EST. 1548 - NIIGATA, JAPAN

#### Notables:

- 5th oldest brewery in Japan
- Oldest Niigata brewery
- Niigata is largest saké prefecture (91 brewers)
- Credited with a number of iconic sake industry innovations (kurabito, koji bed automation, etc.)
- Owners of a yeast manufacturer (only one of only 4 in Japan)







#### GENSEN KARAKUCHI "KOMÉ DRY"

Honjozo	180ml x 30	300ml x 12
Aroma: Cypress, Raisin Liqueur, Fig Taste: Vanilla Beans, Green Apple, Tapioca	+793364	+794008
Rice: Niigata Rice   Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 15.5%   SMV: 7   Acidity: 1.2   Water: Soft		

Food: Pork Ramen, Seaweed Salad, Veggie Stir-Fry

A classic extra-dry saké - well balanced with a mild

sweetness and distinctively dry characteristic.

1.8L × 6 18L × 1 +117432 +957761



#### YUZU SPARKLING

#### Sparkling

**Aroma:** Yuzu, Chestnut Koji, Mint **Taste:** Lemon Peel, Lychee, Yuzu Jam

Rice: Niigata Rice

Alcohol: 7.5% | SMV: -33 | Acidity: 4 | Water: Soft

Vibrant Yuzu aroma, draws to natural koji sweetness. Refreshingly tart with clean acidity.

Food: Citrus Fruit Jelly, Vanilla Ice Cream, Smoked Duck

300ml x 12 + 49935







#### "INSPIRATION" SPARKLING AWAYUKI JUNMAI

#### Sparkling

**Aroma:** Yogurt, Honey, Asian Pear **Taste:** Cotton Candy, Ramune, Meringue

Rice: Niigata Rice | Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 7.5% | SMV: -44 | Acidity: 2 | Water: Soft

Ripe, rich fruity aromas with soft koji sweetness. Light mouthfeel, landing like a feather.

Food: Prosciutto with Fresh Fruits, Almond Tofu, Cream Cheese

300ml x 12 +170767

#### HIYA NAMA-NAMA

Aroma: Pear, Lychee, Passion Fruit

Taste: Pear, Mineral

Rice: Gohyakumangoku | Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 14.5% | SMV: +3 | Acidity: 1.1 | Water: Soft

A rare shelf-stable unpasteurized saké bursting with deep rich flavours. Refreshing, luscious steamed rice aromas followed by ripe pear notes with fresh mineral vibrancy.

Food: BBQ, Raw Oyster, Japanese Pickles



300ml x 12

+340161



TOP 100 VanMag Awards



#### UMI BLU

#### Ginio

Aroma: Lemongrass, Muscat Melon, Tangerine

Taste: Mint, Lime, Dragon Fruit

Rice: Niigata Rice | Rice Polished to 60%

Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: 6 | Acidity: 1.2 | Water: Soft

Semi dry, light & refreshing with calm aromatics, ginjo-saké clarity and excellent tasting profile structure.

Specially produced for only Canada.

Food: Calamari, Beef Carpaccio, Glazed Ham

300ml x 12

+870923

#### KOMÉ DAKÉ NO SAKÉ "CLASSIC"

#### Junmai

Aroma: Rice pudding, Cashew Nut, Shiitake Mushroom Taste: Ripe Cantaloupe, Fresh Steamed Rice, Passion Fruit

Rice: Niigata Rice | Rice Polished to 65%

Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: 3 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

Medium-full bodied, slick and creamy, with a medium finish. The original Premium Saké in western Canada.

Food: Curry Rice, Carbonara Pasta, Shabu Shabu

300ml x 12

+514141



GOKU JO Ginio

Aroma: Licorice, Orange Blossom, Apple mint

Taste: Fuji Apple, Nectarine, Fennel

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku| Rice Polished to 55% Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: 7 | Acidity: 1.2 | Water: Soft

Very aromatic, smooth with a clear tasting profile.

All Gohyaku-Mangoku rice used to create softness and extend body feel.

Food: Raw Oysters, Camembert Cheese, Carrot Ginger Soup

300ml x 12

+735191

720ml x 12

+593319

1.8L x 6

+161607



### BREWMASTER'S CHOICE Honiozo

Aroma: Sweet Bread, Shimeji Mushroom, White Truffle Taste: Ripe Apple, Rice Cake, Mineral

Rice: Gohyaku Mangoku | Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: 6 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Modelled on the type of saké that the brew masters would choose to drink every night. Natural rice softness, well-balanced and so easy to enjoy with a variety of foods.

The most popular premium Saké in B.C.

Food: BBQ Cheeseburger, Light White Fish, Chicken Alfredo Pasta

720ml x 12

+ 27998

1.8L x 6

+678300



#### HIYA-OROSHI

#### lunmai

Aroma: Steamed Rice, Loquat, Cashew Nut Taste: Millet Jelly, Steamed Rice, Yellow Peach

Rice: Gohyakumangoku | Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 15.5% | SMV: 0 | Acidity: 1.8 | Water: Soft

Bottled raw as the temperature drops with the autumn breeze, reaching a similar level to the temperature of the saké. Enjoy the smoothness of the autumn-aged saké along with the rich flavours of autumn cuisine.

Food: Stir fried Mushroom, Calamari, Burrata Cheese

#### ONLY A FEW LEFT

720ml x 6

+308794



#### MINAMO SOUSAI

#### Junmai

**Aroma:** Banana, Lemon, Mint **Taste:** Banana, Apple, Steamed Rice

Rice: Gohyakumangoku | Rice Polished to 65% Alcohol: 16.5% | SMV: 0 | Acidity: 1.8 | Water: Soft

A clean and refreshing saké with wonderfully distinct flavours that shine when chilled to 5-10 degrees. The "Mahoroba-Kaguwa" yeast is used to produce its fragrance and acidity which strike a perfect balance that delicately compliments a wide range of dishes, adding colour to the dining table.

Food: Roasted Duck, Grilled Salmon, Deep Fried Cod

#### NEW!

720ml x 6 +340214

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#### MINAMO NAKAGUMI NIIGATA S9 JUNMAI DAI-GINJO PREMIUM SAKÉ Junmai Dai-Ginjo

Aroma: Apple, Lemon, White Flowers

Taste: White Spices, Green Apple, Muscat Melon

Rice: Koshi Tanrei | Rice Polished to 40% Alcohol: 17.5% | SMV: +1 | Acidity: 1.4 | Water: Soft

Refreshing, light fruit aroma with rice sweetness. The taste is remarkably mild yet crisp with a very clean finish

Food: Roasted Beef, Liver Paté, Dried Black Throat Seaperch

### LIMITED QUANTITY

720ml x 4 w/Gift Box

### LIMITED QUANTITY

720ml x 4

w/Gift Box

+360683



#### MINAMO NAKAGUMI HIROSHIMA YEAST DAI-GINJO PREMIUM SAKÉ

Dai-Ginjo

**Aroma:** Pineapple, Green Apple, Coconut **Taste:** Sugar Candy, Pineapple, Green Apple

Rice: Koshi Tanrei | Rice Polished to 40%

Alcohol: 17.5% | SMV: -1 | Acidity: 1.3 | Water: Soft

The slight astringency in the sweetness is harmonized, and the taste is rich with structure. A long pleasant aftertaste.

Food: Grilled Wagyu Steak, Fresh Sea Urchin, Hard Washed-Rind Cheese



IWC 2021 Gold Medal



IWC 2022 Niigata Daiginjo Trophy



Kura Master 2023 Platinum Medal



### SHOCHU

#### **Traditional Japanese Spirits**

#### Notables:

- · Ingredients focused flavour
- · Versatile serving style
- · Some well-publicized claims of medical benefits





#### MOONLIGHT Tanaka Co., Ltd.

Barley Shochu

Alcohol: 25%

Smooth and soft, this shochu spirit goes down well on its own, over a bit of ice, or mixed in a splash of hot water with an umé. Dry with a light malty nuance. Easy to create amazing cocktails with this light, clean vodka.

Food: Salt Rubbed Grilled Fish, Pork, Chips and Salsa

750ml x 12 +924290





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#### IICHIKO Sanwa Shurui

Barley Shochu

Alcohol: 25%

This is a best seller among genuine shochu. Sweet aromas of melon and watermelon are followed by a delicate taste that hints of pear and sweet orchard. The finish is clean and smooth. Defined as the "Napoleon of the Working-Class Neighborhood" - for its high-end quality at a very reasonable price.

Food: Red Curry, Salami Pizza, Marinated Mushrooms

900ml x 12

+783753





#### DAN DAN Nagashima Kenjo

Sweet Potato Shochu

Alcohol: 25%

Spicy and subtly sweet, the name 'Dan Dan' comes from a local Southern Japanese dialect meaning "thank you". Distilled in small batches, this shochu is light, dry and mildly fragrant.

Try it with a splash of water to release the aromas.

Food: Fruit Pies, Berkshire Pork, Chocolate, Turkey & Cranberry Sauce

720ml x 12

+ 32201



Winner
(Every year since 2016)
Monde Selection
Spirits & Liqueurs
Rome 2019



#### TAN TAKA TAN Godo Shusei

Purple Shiso (herb) Shochu

Alcohol: 20%

Hand-picked purple shiso leaves are used to create this intriguing aromatic shochu. Very easy sipper, it is fresh, clean tasting with the essence of flowers and fresh cut herbs

Delicious over ice or with a splash of hot water.

Food: Salads, Grilled Mackerel, Savory Seafood Stew

720ml x 12



NIKAIDO Nikaido Shuzo

Barley Shochu

Alcohol: 25%

900ml x 12

One of the most popular brands of shochu in Japan. Nikaido invented Mugi Shochu-Vodka (the traditional Japanese barley soft vodka). Very mild, subtle malt with little scent, it is the perfect cocktail base.

Food: Charcoal Grilled Meats like Yakitori or BBQ, Seafood Hot-Pot

+190264



#### DASSAI SHOCHU

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NEW!
COMING SOON
LIMITED QUANTITY

Rice Shochu

Alcohol: 39%

720ml x 6 w/Gift Box

It is made by distilling the freshly squeezed saké lees of Dassai and extracting the alcohol content as is. It has captured the exquisite fragrance of Dassai and encapsulated it within the shochu. The high alcohol content of 39% is intentional, as it allows the beautiful aroma to be extracted to its fullest extent, resulting in the best possible state of the fragrance.

+242555

Food: Bonito Sashimi, Pan Fried Dumpling, Chocolate



# MARS KOMAGATAKE DISTILLERY



EST. 1949 - NAGANO, JAPAN



#### Notables:

- Distilling Whisky since 1949
- Whisky made in and evolved in Japan, distilled in the highest elevation, cold Japan Alps mountains
- Iwai is the namesake of the Japanese Whisky pioneer



#### IWAI WHISKY

**Alcohol:** 40.5%

Kiichiro Iwai, the name sake for this Mars Whisky, was a silent pioneer of Japan whisky. This whisky is inspired by the great whiskies of America. A majority of corn, balanced with light malt and aged in ex-bourbon barrels. Ideal for daily sipping, in a Mint Julep or an Old Fashioned.

Tasting Notes: Sweet with fruit flavours of pear, quince and hints of red fruits and vanilla.

750ml x 6 +778076

To the last of the



#### IWAI TRADITION

**Alcohol:** 40.5%

This malt driven spirit is truly a reflection of contemporary Japanese whisky. Incredibly balanced, soft and layered. A blending of sherry, bourbon and wine casks with delicate hints of peat make for a harmonious whisky that would make Iwai-san proud.

Tasting Notes: Ripe cherry, honey and toffee with a beautiful ginger spice.

750ml x 6 +418582



### EIGASHIMA SHUZO

"AKASHI"

EST. 1881 - AKASHI, JAPAN



#### Notables:

- 100 years of experience
- · Small, limited production
- Seven wooden Kura buildings



#### AKASHI JAPANESE BLENDED WHISKY

Alcohol: 40%

This is whisky blended in the scotch tradition, with Japanese precision, the malt is lightly peated, and vatting is mostly ex-bourbon, balanced by White Oak's unique variety of barrels.

Tasting Notes: The nose is very fruity with apricots and dried fruits, and a shy note of honey



500ml x 6 + 4791

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