



**METROPOLITAN**  
PREMIUM WINES & SAKES

**PREMIUM PORTFOLIO**  
**RETAIL PRICING**  
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## Miyasaka Brewing Co. Nagano, JP



**MASUMI KURO BLACK**  
*Junmai Ginjo; 15% Alc/Vol*  
**Gold, KuraMaster '20**

Kuro offers delicate aromas of apple and banana, followed by a savoury character that brings out the best in the food before finishing dry.

+96501 \$38.49 720ml x 12



**MASUMI SHIRO WHITE**  
*Junmai Ginjo, 12% Alc/Vol*

Masumi's 'session sake', with the fruitiness and delicacy of a good junmai ginjo yet is soft & light enough to enjoy every day. Mild and showing lovely citric characteristics.

+96509 \$32.49 720ml x 12



**MASUMI AKA RED**  
*Junmai Ginjo, 15% Alc/Vol*  
**Silver, US Nat'l Sake Apprl '22**

Fruity aromas of banana, stone fruits & red plums. Brewed in the yamahai style for savoury umami, fine acidity, and lactic notes.

+96506 \$82.49 1.8L x 6



**MASUMI KIIPPON**  
*Junmai Ginjo, 15.0% Alc/Vol*

Aromas reminiscent of young Fuji apples leading to a surprisingly flavorful balance of subtle sweetness, acidity, and an astringency that leaves the palate clean and dry.

+849554 \$15.99 300ml x 24  
+530279 \$77.29 1.8L x 6



**SANKA**  
*Junmai Daiginjo, 15% Alc/Vol*

As fresh and inviting as an alpine meadow. Made with Yamadanishiki rice, Sanka (mountain flowers) shows fresh fragrance and elegant taste, but also great depth & complexity.

+399314 \$66.79 720ml x 6



**MASUMI SUMI 25**  
*Rice Shochu*

Distilled from Masumi's best sake kasu, or lees, Sumi is a rare type of shochu that captures the spirit of this famous sake brewery. Shochu fans will love its clean, soft character.

+491574 \$45.49 720ml x 12

**Saura Co.**

Miyagi



**URAKASUMI HONJIKOMI**

*Honjozo, 15% Alc/Vol*

Soft, smooth & very popular & versatile style. A well-balanced weight gives excellent structure to this sake's bright and round profile, complete with a clean refreshing finish.

+276785 \$25.29 720ml x 12  
+668467 \$57.49 1.8L x 6



**URAKASUMI JUNMAI**

*Junmai; 15.0% Alc/Vol*

**Gold, KuraMaster 2018  
Gold, US Nat'l Sake Appraisal'20**

The umami of the rice clearly comes out as we obtain a fruity and fresh nose with hints of toasted nuts as well as a well-balanced, clean and refreshing taste.

+143840 \$15.49 300ml x 12  
+276670 \$29.29 720ml x 12



**URAKASUMI ZEN**

*Junmai Ginjo; 15.0% Alc/Vol  
Gold, US Nat'l Sake Apprl '20*

The signature product of Urakasumi. It creates a soft and creamy sensation with a hint of melon, procuring a pleasant flavor and harmony as the initial impressions, and a long and peaceful finish.

+276665 \$19.99 300ml x 12  
+276662 \$42.29 720ml x 6



**URAKASUMI 12**

*Junmai Ginjo; 15.9% Alc/Vol*

With a comfortable acidity that stands out in a balanced Junmai Ginjo Sake that also provides fragrances of muscat and lime, this sake reintroduces the Kyokai Yeast No.12 that made Urakasumi famous all-around Japan for enhancing particular Ginjo flavors such as banana, melon and green apple.

+276673 \$35.29 720ml x 12



## Kikuchi Sake Brewery

Okayama, JP



### SANZEN OMACHI TOK JUNMAI

*Tok Junmai; 15.5% Alc/Vol*  
**Platinum, KuraMaster 2020**

Made from one of the hardest strains of rice to grow, harvest & brew, this sake offers lovely flavours & aromas distinct to this celebrated heirloom rice, with earth, mushroom & spice. Well-balanced, and enjoyable both chilled & warmed.

+276764 \$31.49 720ml x 12



### SANZEN OMACHI JDG

*Junmai Daiginjo; 16.5% Alc/Vol*  
**Gr Gold, Fine Sake Awards '20**

Brewed from 100% Bizen Omachi rice. Premium & luxurious, this smooth, flavourful sake is elegantly structured, balanced, and nuance.

+276769 \$40.29 720ml x 12



### SANZEN YUZU NO OSAKE

*Yuzushu; 7.5% Alc/Vol*  
**Gr Gold, Fine Sake Awards '20**

Made using sake and yuzu juice, offering the clean, refreshing aromas of yuzu with the gentle sweetness of Sake. Elegant, well-balanced, with refreshing acidity.

+382898 \$34.79 720ml x 12

## Kamoizumi Sake Brewery

Hiroshima, JP



### KOME KOME

*Low Alcohol; 7.5% Alc/Vol*

Light as can be, this crisp, charming low-alcohol sake is pleasantly tart, piquant and mildly sweet, like a Kabinett-style Riesling.

+276805 \$25.49 500ml x 12



### SHUSEN HONJIKOMI

*Junmai Ginjo; 16% Alc/Vol*

Rich, robust, with a woody *shiitake*, forest floor aroma, this is an unexpected junmai ginjo. There is a lot to explore in this big-boned sake, served either cool or especially delicious warm.

+276802 \$38.49 720ml x 12



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## Akebono Shuzo

Fukushima, JP



### TENMEI ORANGE

*Junmai; 16% Alc/Vol*

Brewed using local Yamadanishiki rice polished to 65%. Lucious umami and flavourful and hints of sweetness with enough acidity to bring balance.

+248818 \$46.29 720ml x 12



### TENMEI BLACK

*Junmai Ginjo; 16% Alc/Vol*

Brewed using local Yamadanishiki rice polished to 50% & a blend of original Fukushima Yeast, Fukushima Yume Yeast (F701) & Tenmei's house yeast. Balanced & clean, with a lovely lychee finish.

+236112 \$52.29 720ml x 12

## Banjo Jozo Co., Ltd.

Aichi, JP



### KAMOSHIBITO KUHEIJI

#### EAU DU DÉSIR

*Junmai Daiginjo; 15% Alc/Vol*

Made with Yamadanishiki late-growing breeds, this brew features the deep and profound flavors indicative of this variety. These grains are also well suited for long-term aging while gifting the sake brewed from them a velvety and pleasant mouthfeel.

+359147 \$44.79 720ml x 12



### KAMOSHIBITO KUHEIJI

#### BETSU ATSURAE

*Junmai Daiginjo; 16% Alc/Vol*

Brewed using Yamadanishiki polished down to 35%, it shows the notes of pear, melon and apple with the subtle hints of white pepper. Rich in umami, it is delicate, elegant and crisp with pleasant acidity.

+359144 \$73.79 720ml x 12

**Premium Japanese Beers**



**TOKYO WHITE**

*5% Alc/Vol*

***Bronze, World Beer Cup, 2022***

Barley & Wheat. Medium-light body. Well balanced fresh hops and fruity aroma. Low hop bitterness combined with a dry finish that has a pleasant acidic touch.

**+305502 \$5.99 330ml x 24**



**TOKYO BLONDE**

*5% Alc/Vol*

Barley. Medium-light body. Fresh hop aroma is dominant, with a complementary medium-malt flavour. Well balanced malt and hop flavor that is clear, and finishes dry

**+337887 \$6.39 330ml x 24**



**TOKYO IPA**

*6% Alc/Vol*

Barley & Wheat. Medium body. Well balanced hops, malts and fruity aroma. Citrusy hop flavour and bitterness with a hint of roasted malt flavour.

**+305505 \$6.39 330ml x 24**