

#### SakeOne Oregon, USA



MOMOKAWA DIAMOND Junmai Ginjo; 14.8% Alc/Vol

A well balanced classic saké, offdry, well-structured with aspects of ripened cantaloupe & light honey. A lovely hint of spice & mineral rounds out this easy sipper.

LCBO+981258 \$16.50 750ml



MOMOKAWA ORGANIC Junmai Ginjo; 14.5% Alc/Vol

The first saké to be USDA Organic Certified. A very light acidity on this saké brings forth the aura of cotton candy & ripe honeydew into focus. Sulphite-free, light & mildly sweet.

+392273 \$11.95 300ml x 12 +404094 \$21.95 750ml x 12 +493519 \$400.00 18L Box



MOMOKAWA SILVER
Junmai Ginjo; 14.8% Alc/Vol

Bright, dry & crisp Silver offers a clean saké with complex flavors of apple, pear & melon combined with rich minerals. Pairs easily with a range of Japanese cuisine.

+834879 \$19.99 750ml x 12



**G JOY** Junmai Ginjo Genshu; 18.0% Alc/Vol

First super-premium saké brewed in the US. Full fruity & spicy nose gives way to rich, creamy layers of ripe melon flavours with hints of pear & plum followed by a long, lingering tropical spice finish.

LCBO+239426 \$24.95 750ml



MOMOKAWA PEARL Junmai Ginjo Nigori Genshu; 18.0% Alc/Vol

This rough-filtered, creamy saké, offers fantastic texture, body & flavours – melons, bananas & coconut notes abound in a tight, dry finish.

+274737 \$9.99 300ml x 12 +834887 \$19.99 750ml x 12

SakeOne Hyogo, JP



SakeMoto – NEW! Junmai 16.0% Alc/Vol

From Japan's famous Nada saké region, by a brewery that has 270 years of brewing history. Upfront fruit in the nose, a rich texture & a long, smooth finish that will appeal to both new & seasoned saké drinkers.

+664226 \$9.99 300ml x 12

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#### SakeOne Oregon, USA



**MOONSTONE ASIAN PEAR** 

Ginjo; 13.5% Alc/Vol

The infusion of Asian Pear essence is added just prior to bottling to maintain freshness of flavours. An aromatic a saké, mildly sweet with a crisp finish. Very light & easy to drink. Excellent mixer also.

+465814 \$9.99 300ml x 12 +834846 \$17.99 750ml x 12



MOONSTONE COCONUT LEMONGRASS

Ginjo Nigori Genshu; 18.0% Alc/Vol

Aroma of creamy coconut & crisp lemongrass that follow through on the palate, with hints of bubblegum, anise & citrus. Finishes clean & fruity.

+465814 \$9.99 300ml x 12 +111608 \$17.99 750ml x 12



MOONSTONE RASPBERRY

Ginjo; 13.5% Alc/Vol

Fresh-picked raspberries waft subtly on the nose & intensify through the palate — soft, slightly sweet & smooth.

+775650 \$17.99 750ml x 12



MOONSTONE PLUM

Ginjo; 8.0% Alc/Vol

Luscious ripe plum, creamy almond & bright citrus notes blend seamlessly in this light-bodied infuised saké. Elegant & without the sugary thickness of plum wines.

+111608 \$14.99 750ml x 12



#### Kizakura Kyoto, Japan



TOZAI LIVING JEWEL Junmai; 14.9% Alc/Vol S. Tanzer 85Pts

White grape & anise aromas. Medium-bodied, with a slightly creamy texture, followed by a hint of white pepper & fresh herbal notes & a long, clean finish.

+293646

\$22.95 720ml x 6



TOZAI SNOW MAIDEN
Junmai Nigori; 14.9% Alc/Vol
S. Tanzer 88Pts

Creamy & chewy but surprisingly dry. The aromas are bright & fresh, showing a lovely ricey & fruity combination, which ring true in the solid flavours.

+291251 \$12.95 300ml x 12 LCBO+224444 \$19.55 720ml



TOZAI TYPHOON Futsu; 14.9% Alc/Vol

Light-bodied, premium saké with hints of apple & nuttiness. Dry yet fruity; finishes crisp & clean. Bestselling saké in its category in Japan. Serve chilled or slightly warmed.

+435627 \$37.95 1.8L x 6

# Nakano Shuzo – *NEW!* Aichi, Japan



INDIGO WIND

Sparkling Junmai; 7% Alc/Vol

Bubbly, soft creaminess caresses the palate. Notes of citrus & vanilla flavours intertwine in a gentle, satisfying balance of sweetness & acidity. A great aperitif!

+763110

\$12.95 200ml x 15



UME

Umeshu; 10% Alc/Vol

Refreshing and unique, plum wine is gaining fans amongst wine and sake lovers alike. The sweet, deep essence of plum with a mild spicy tartness balances nicely in this drink.

LCBO+329201

\$11.95 300ml



#### **OBAACHAN'S YUZU-SHU**

Yuzu-shu; 10% Alc/Vol

100% local yuzu citrus . Refreshing natural acidity and sweetness from citrus. No artificial flavour, colour or seasoning added.

+ TBD

\$19.95 300ml x 12

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#### Eiko Fuji – NEW! Yamagata, Japan



#### BAN RYU 'TEN THOUS WAYS'

Honjozo; 15.3% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Good'

'Ban Ryu' references how many ways there are to enjoy this saké & its versatility with all types of dishes. Light & fruity, with notes of cherries & cloves & underlying smokiness.

+546340 \$26.95 720ml x 12

#### **Nakashima Brewery** Gifu, Japan



#### **KOZAEMON HOUSE JUNMAI**

15.5% Alc/Vol; 60% Rice Polish

This House Junmai has a unique cocoa/azuki bean nose. The base junmai has been aged for a year before blending for complexity & fullness. Warm, gentle & well balanced.

+ 565688 \$27.95 750ml x 12

#### Tentaka Shuzo - NEW! Tochigi, Japan



#### HAWK IN THE HEAVENS

Junmai; 15.6% Alc/Vol

S. Tanzer 87Pts

This well-rounded sake is dry & crisp, with a rich mouthfeel. Flavours of mixed nuts, fresh cut green grass & other earthier flavours. Medium-bodied, with a long & dry finish.

+597988 \$15.95 300ml x 12 \$33.95 720ml x 6 +681673

## Saiya Shuzo – NEW! Akita, Japan



#### YUKI NO BOSHA YAMAHAI

Junmai; 16% Alc/Vol

Gold, International Sake Challenge

Mellow, well-balanced & low in acidity. Loose & relaxed on the palate with notes of roasted chestnuts, brown butter & honey.

+546357 \$39.95 720ml x 12

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## Momokawa Brewing Co. Aomori, Japan



MURAI FAMILY TANREI Junmai; 14.5% Alc/Vol

Brewed in Hachinohe where the port is famous for fresh seafood unloaded daily, this saké is crafted as the ideal sake for sushi/sashimi. Clean, dry & crisp with lovely melon flavours.

+295278 \$14.95 300ml x 12 +269620 \$29.95 720ml x 6



MURAI FAMILY TOKUBETSU Honjozo; 15.5% Alc/Vol

This 'Special', dynamic Honjozo is layered with herbal & anise notes. Clean & complex with an incredible amount of aroma & flavour. First place in the Japan National Saké Contest for the Honjozo category

LCBO+239384 \$14.95 300ml +438043 \$33.95 720ml x 6



MURAI FAMILY NIGORI GENSHU

19.9% Alc/Vol

This luxurious, silky-textured saké offers a rich depth of flavour, character & body that is unparalleled. Rich, creamy & boldly layered with coconut, anise, cream & earthy sweetness.

+411644 \$14.95 300ml x 12 +233675 \$29.95 720ml x 6



MURAI FAMILY SUGIDAMA – NEW! Junmai Ginjo; 14.5% Alc/Vol GOLD – US Nat'l Sake Appraisal

**NEW!** A classic medium-dry, full-bodied Junmai Ginjo offering spicy layers, lush earthiness, rich apple & pear flavours, and a long finish.

LCBO+314310 \$14.95 300ml



MURAI FAMILY DAIGINJO 55% Rice Polish; 16.0% Alc/Vol

Handmade by only the master toji this sake is a Shizuku, drip-pressed through cotton bags. Made with Yamadanishiki rice, this Daiginjo is ethereal, layered & very complex.

LCBO+209726 \$23.95 300ml +236462 \$70.00 720ml x 6

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Yoshi no Gawa Sake Co. Niigata, Japan



KOME DRY Honzojo; 15.0% Alc/Vol

Well balanced with a mild sweetness & distinctively dry characteristic. Soft tones of tropical fruits with hints of light moss leading to an ultra-clean finish. Can also be enjoyed slightly warmed.

LCBO+314005 \$13.95 300ml +416593 \$55.00 1.8L x 6



GOKU JO Ginjo, 15.0% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Very Good'

With a crisp fennel aroma & fresh herbs on the palate, this saké is ultrasmooth & refreshing. Rich symphony of honeydew & orange-magnolia flavours. Soft acid structure with a long herbaceous, anise finish.

+ LCBO227074 \$15.95 300ml +763060 \$35.95 720ml x 12



KOME DAKE NO SAKE Junmai; 15.0% Alc/Vol

Full-bodied & extremely drinkable. Clean & well-balanced on the palate with rich flavours of clementine & passion fruit. Gold Medal winner of Canada Saké Challenge (Vendor Magazine).

+ LCBO514141 \$15.95 300ml



YOSHI NO GAWA DAIGINJO 60% Rice Polish; 16.0% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Outstanding'

The amazing complexity & well-balanced structure of this ultra premium saké is owed to a unique 3-year cellaring in sub-zero temperatures. Fresh melons & lush fruit lead to a delightfully rich finish.

+763052 \$97.95 720ml x 6

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#### Saiya Shuzo – *NEW!* Akita, Japan



# YUKI NO BOSHA LTD RELEASE Junmai Ginjo; 16% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Very Good'

Very popular sake. Nose of tropical fruit & white flowers, this sake delights. Medium-bodied & off-dry with a soft, creamy mouthfeel. Rounded & delicate; subtly spicy finish.

+546365 \$21.95 300ml x 12

## Nanbu Bijin Iwate, Japan



# SOUTHERN BEAUTY Junmai Ginjo; 16.0% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Outstanding'

Apple compote & lively citrus notes on the nose. Creamy palate with ripe cantaloupe, honeydew & muscat grape. This saké finishes with mild acidity & lovely minerality.

+219351 \$19.95 300ml x 12

# Imada Shuzo – *NEW!* Hiroshima, Japan



# FUKUCHO MOON ON THE WATER Junmai Ginjo; 16.5% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Very Good'

From one of the few femaile Master Brewers in Japan. Nose of lime, melon & spice. Ripe cantaloupe & licorice flavours. Slightly sweet & clean with a dry & minerally finish, evidence of Hiroshima's soft water.

LCBO+314260 \$19.95 300ml

### Daimon Shuzo Osaka, Japan



### MUKUNE ROOT OF INNOCENCE Junmai Ginjo; 16.0% Alc/Vol Wine Spectator 'Outstanding'

Mellow & round, made from natural spring water rich in minerals. Soft on the palate with gentle acidity & light spice of white pepper & cedar-like flavours.

+211671 \$44.95 720ml x 6



#### Rihaku Shuzo Shimane, Japan



WANDERING POET
Junmai Ginjo; 15.2% Alc/Vol
S. Tanzer 88Pts

Well-rounded saké with banana & ripe honeydew aromas. Juicy & fruity on the palate, the finish offers clean, crisp acidity with herbal notes.

+273861 \$18.95 300ml x 12 +276914 \$39.95 720ml x 6



DREAMY CLOUDS NIGORI - New!

Tokubetsu Junmai 15.5% Alc/Vol;

S. Tanzer 87Pts

Bright & lean in the mouth, unlike many Nigoris & the impact is chewy with sweet rice flavours intermingling with nuttiness & slight fruitiness.

+320076 \$35.95 720ml x 6



**ORIGIN OF PURITY- New!** 

Junmai Ginjo Genshu 15.5% Alc/Vol;

Wine Spectator 'Very Good'

Kiwi &lychee aromas lead to cream soda, pear & black licorice in the mouth. Creamy texture with medium body, impeccable balance, & a lengthy finish.

+560473 \$45.95 720ml x 6

### Higashiyama Kyoto, Japan



KONTEKI TEARS OF DAWN- New!
Daiginjo; 15.5% Alc/Vol
Bev Tasting Institute 91Pts

Asian pear, pineapple, anise & lemongrass on the nose follow through onto a soft, silky palate with excellent depth & smoothness. Finished long & crisp.

+544501 \$41.95 720ml x 6



KONTEKI PEARLS OF SIMPLICTY
Junmai Daiginjo; 15.5% Alc/Vol
Bev Tasting Institute 93Pts

Made with Yamadanishi rice & soft, pure water from Japan's Eastern Mountains. Crisp, clean flavours of honeydew & lemon with a subtle hint of licorice. Long, elegant finish.

+408087 \$21.95 300ml x 12 +438076 \$41.95 720ml x 6

### Takasago Shuzo Hokkaido, Japan



GINGA SHIZUKU DIVINE DROPLETS Junmai Daiginjo; 15.6% Alc/Vol S. Tanzer 94Pts

Spice, minerality & banana skin dominate the aroma of this shizuku- pressed sake. A myriad of complex flavours – melons, herbs, vanilla & minerals lead to a long, ethereal finish.

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#### Premium Shochu Japanese-style Vodka



TANAKA MOONLIGHT

Barley Mugi Shochu

Smooth and soft, this shochu 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.

+320605 \$21.99 750ml x 12



**DAN-DAN**Sweet Potato Imo Shochu

Spicy & 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 & mildly fragrant.

+412428 \$44.95 720ml x 12



TAN-TAKA-TAN Shiso (Herb) Shochu

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.

+412451 \$44.95 720ml x 12