



SAKE MENU

At Kizami Sushi we believe that sake enhances the dining experience greatly, and we have done our best to source many different types of sakes that highlight the diversity and versatility of the category.

Additionally, we have now listed them by their general tasting profile, rather than premium grade. This way you can zero in on the one or two key words that you are most likely to enjoy and feel more confident when you order something. Our staff is also well-versed, and happy to answer any questions you may have.

PROFILES

CLEAN AND DRY

Sake that doesn't have too much fragrance or taste - very dry and crisp and easy to drink. Typically Honjozo grade, but not always.

CLASSIC AND RICH

Sakes that have a grainy, ricey quality; they are robust and lean towards savory. They are great when paired with Ramen, grilled meats, and richer sauces. Usually Junmai grades.

BOLD

This category is pretty much entirely made up of unpasteurized sake. They are really bright and flavorful, almost sweet.

AROMATIC

Sakes that begin to show floral and fruity characteristics, and are therefore easily appreciated by wine drinkers. Usually anything that says GINJO.

MODERN

Almost always on the sweeter side - flavored, sparkling, unpasteurized, and Nigori sakes.

CLEAN & DRY

3oz glass/8oz carafe/bottle



WAKATAKE 'Demon Slayer' 18/36/95
720 ml. A delightful sake with a delicate aroma of ripe fruits, velvety texture, and finishes on a sharp, crisp note



OKA 'Cherry Bouquet' 12/28/72
720 ml. An overall floral perception from start to ending; soft & creamy with dried fruit overtones and subtle melon finish



AMABUKI 'Black Rice' 11/25/65
720 ml. A beautiful sake color coming from the use of ancient black rice with notes of raspberry and cassis with a pop of acidity



SUIGEI 'Drunken Whale' 11/25/65
720 ml. A great sake for beer drinker! It has complex notes of fennel, hops & strawberry flavor with a hint of rose on the nose



MASUMI 'Mirror of Truth' 11/25/65
720 ml. Smooth with soft aroma of berries and earthiness; known as the well-worn jeans of the sake world!



YUKI OTOKO 'Snow Yeti' 10/22/60
720 ml. A refreshing, extra dry honjozo has a light, creamy mouthfeel. If you enjoy crisp light white wines or pilsners, this sake is for you



YUKIKAGE 'Snow Shadow' 9/18/—
Take the flavor elevator up for hints of rice crackers and steamed rice, and down for semi-sweet deep and earthy tones including maple syrup



TOZAI TYPHOON 5/11/—
A table sake of remarkable quality with rustic banana bread and nut notes; medium-dry with a round, mellow finish



ECHIGOZAKURA 30/bottle
300 ml. Easy drinking, crisp, and refreshing

CLASSIC & RICH

30z glass/80z carafe/bottle



KENBISHI 'Mizuho'
720 ml. 5 and 8 year old sakes made from the best rice are blended and then tank aged resulting with aromas of nuts, honey, and malt

18/36/95



'Noble Arrow' NAMASAKE
720 ml. A mineral-driven profile with flavors of melon and lime leaf along with a creamy texture and herbal finish

14/30/80



KIMINOI 'Emperor's Well'
720 ml. Velvety, gutsy, and complex this brew is bold yet subdued. This sake is rich in mouthfeel - almost akin to caramel

12/28/72



MANA 1751 'True Vision'
720 ml. Known for its famous water source. An aromatic and expression yahamai with notes of mushroom, honey, banana, and rice

12/28/72



YUHO 'Rhythm of the Centuries'
720 ml. Made using the 17th century time and labor intensive method and aged for 4 years in bottle resulting in rich earthy, wild aromas and flavors

12/28/72



COWBOY 'Yamahai'
720 ml. Aromas of cocoa and smoke with a rice and smooth finish with notes of beef jerky. Designed to pair with any meat dishes

11/25/65

BOLD



HARADA
720 ml. Limited order! Notes of honey and melon. This undiluted sake is produced using rose vine yeast and is incredibly pure and balanced

18/36/95



HAKKAISAN Nama Genshu
720 ml. A full-bodied and lively sake which offers the rich taste unique to just-pressed and cask-strength, undiluted sake

12/28/72



CHIKURIN 'Otoro'
720 ml. Fleshy, juicy, round with a little zest and crisp this brew is velvety with a nice ripe richness

11/25/65

AROMATIC

3oz glass/8oz carafe/bottle



DIVINE DROPLETS

20/45/110

720 ml. Flawless yet incredibly persistent with crispness of pristine water.

Refreshing and pure notes of pineapple, peach, apple and a hint of white pepper



KIKUSUI

20/45/110

720 ml. Most popular sake brand in Japan restaurants! Has a captivating

smoothness and crisp dry finish



SOTO

18/36/95

720 ml. Soto, meaning 'outside' in Japanese, is a celebration of the earth's purest elements brought together to make this premium quality all-natural product



RIHAKU 'Origin of Purity'

18/36/95

720 ml. A must try sake for sake-lovers! A rich and creamy made from Japan's

oldest-known pure rice strand. Savory, tangy, and a touch right sweetness notes



BENTEN 'Sawane Y.'

16/32/80

720 ml. Opens with a bright and fruity aroma of fresh pear and finishes

with a crisp but fruity edge



SEIKYO OMACHI

15/30/75

720 ml. Brewed with heirloom sake rice; aromas of banana and flowers. On

the palate round and melting notes of melon & chestnut



MIZUBASHO GINJO

15/30/75

720 ml. Light and smooth, fruity but elegant with a dry crisp finish. A wonderfully refreshing sake for beginners and Chardonnay drinkers

Dassai



DASSAI 23

95/bottle

300 ml. Intense, fragrant floral and mellow notes drizzled with clear honey

dance on your palate. This was the sake Prime Minister Abe chose to present

to President Obama during his trip to Japan



DASSAI 39

20/45/110

720 ml. A compromise of Dassai 23 & Dassai 45 with a more subtle aroma;

the juicy melon flavor has a pleasing dryness that fades into a crisp aftertaste



DASSAI 45

12/28/72

720 ml. Delicate brew and carefully crafted with fruity floral aromas on the

nose and a soft, clean finish

MODERN

Nigori / Unfiltered Sake

30z glass/80z carafe/bottle



MIYASHITA 'Sacred Mist' 30/bottle
300 ml. A well-balanced, slightly acidic sake with a delicious, subtle sweetness



KUROSAWA NIGORI 9/18/45
720 ml. A fun, creamy sake with a balanced somewhat fruity character



DASSAI 45 NIGORI 12/28/72
720 ml. Its flavor and aroma are both smooth and fragrant. This uniquely lighter nigori style is reflective of the premium elegance of Dassai Junmai Daiginjo

Sparkling Sake

bottle only



HAKKAISAN 'Awa' CLEAR SPARKLING 95
720 ml. Made as an alternative to Champagne during 2020 Tokyo Olympics. Elegant and refreshing with a hint of sweet fruit flavor



NINKI-ICHI 40
300 ml. Made with Koji rice fermented in the bottle; this sparkling sake graces you with soft, sweet aromas of ume plum and white chocolate



LEONA 'Yuzu' 30
375 ml. Uses natural yuzu juice with authentic shochu (made with barley) as its raw ingredients



KIZAKURA 'Piano' 25
300 ml. Light and airy, subtle, simple and clean. This sake is a reminder of the 'notes you don't play that count the most'

Sweet Aged Sake

30z glass



KANBARA 'Ancient Treasure' 20
Over 10 years of aging creates tasting notes of olive oil, sea salt, and toasted sesame seeds



HANAHATO 'Gorgeous Bird' 15
8 year aged sake; A balanced blend of dried fruits and chocolates of all kinds



JUN KOMEKOJI 'Vintage Sake' 9
More than 3 year aged sake; the rice malt creates elegant sweetness and refreshing acidity

MODERN

Flavored Sake

30z glass/80z carafe/bottle



HOMARE 'Yuzu' Sake 9/18/45
720 ml. Uses 100% Japanese yuzu fruit that has high-quality taste and aroma. Using a Junmai sake base adds soft texture to the flavor. The result is a sweet, smooth sake that can be enjoyed on its own



SAWANOTSURU 'Plum Sake' 9/glass
3 year old sake is the base of this wonderful product. The age adds depth to the fruitiness that the plums impart, giving it a nectar-like richness that goes perfectly with club soda



NANBU BIJIN 'Plum Sake' 15/glass
Premium plum sake with no sugar added; gets its sweetness naturally from plums and all-koji sake. This sake is easy to drink, has an attractive rose hue and bright acidity



HOMARE 'Strawberry Nigori' 15/bottle
300 ml. The strawberry flavor is all natural containing no flavoring agents or acidifiers. The strawberry flavor is added to a mellow unfiltered sake creates thick and rich flavor tasted like strawberry banana smoothie!



KUKAI 'Mango Nigori' 15/bottle
300 ml. Lovely aromas of ripe, freshly-peeled mango and yellow peaches jump out of the glass!