



# Kirin-zan

## Honjozo (Niigata, Japan)

### Basic Information

**Brand :** Kirin-zan  
**Type:** Honjozo.  
**Rice polishing:** 60 %  
**Alcohol:** 15-16% by volume

**Bottle size:** 720ml      **Case Pack:** 12 bottles  
**UPC Code:** 844650025019



### Producer

**Name:** Kirinzan Shuzo      **Founded:** 1820  
**Owned by:** Saito Family  
**Location:** 46 Tsugawa, Aga-cho,  
Higashi-kanbara-gun, Niigata 959-4402 Japan  
**Website:** [www.niigatasake.com](http://www.niigatasake.com)  
[www.kirinzan.co.jp](http://www.kirinzan.co.jp)

**Toji (Sake Master):** Takeo Goto  
Takeo-san has been making sake for over 20 years. He oversees both sake making and takes part in cultivating sake rice with his team.

### Ingredients & Technical data

**Rice:** Gohyaku-man-goku and Yukinosei  
**Water:** Soft water  
**Yeast:** G901

**SMV:** +5      **Acidity:** 1.4      **Amino acids:** 1.3

### Other Information

**Suggested service:** Chilled, Luke-warm or Warm.  
**Tasting note:** Cherry blossom aroma. Dry, pure & clean taste.  
**Food pairing:** Matches well with most of Japanese dishes, especially when served warm.

Kirinzan Shuzo is located near Mt. Kirin (= Kirin-zan). Kirin, a mythical creature much like a flying dragon, is believed to bring about happiness.

