

*Herein find a list of the most important terms you will find on sake labels. There are two sets here; they are the same except that the second set has more cursive characters, to help ease you into reading calligraphic characters as well as standard fonts.*

*Note, the 2<sup>nd</sup> last term, Futsuu-shu, is not commonly listed on labels, but has been thrown in for good measure. The very last term is there because it will enable you to tell if a sake is a junmai or not from the mandatory ingredients list, should it not be discernible elsewhere. Finally, you have been left with a blank flashcard for your own sake kanji practice.*

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清酒	Seishu
日本酒	Nihonshu
純米酒	Junmai-shu
特別純米酒	Tokubetsu Junmai-shu
特別本醸造酒	Tokubetsu Honjozo-shu

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純米吟醸酒	Junmai Ginjo-shu
大吟醸酒	Daiginjo-shu
純米大吟醸酒	Junmai Daiginjo-shu
原酒	Genshu
生、生酒	Nama, Nama-zake

山麴（仕込み）	Yamahai (Shikomi)
生もと、生酏	Kimoto
生貯蔵	Nama Chozou
普通酒	Futsuu-shu
醸造アルコール	Distilled Alcohol (=not junmai!)

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