

**Mutual Trading, Inc.**  
**Japanese Sake Spec Sheet**

<b>Brewery</b>	Nova Brewing Company
<b>Founded</b>	2019
<b>Profile</b>	Nova Brewing Co. in Covina, California was founded in 2019 as the first craft sake brewery in LA. Nova's goal is to have locals experience true craft nama sake made with California rice. Nova's head brewer started as a homebrewer but eventually went to Japan to take apprenticeship at few breweries in Ibaraki. With techniques and experiences gained in Japan, they invented and built their own equipments with what they can acquire in LA which allows them their own unique style of sake brewing methods that set their products apart.

<b>Product Name</b>	ECLIPSE JUNMAI DAIGINJO
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<b>Item Number</b>	10883
<b>Case Contents</b>	12 bottles
<b>Size</b>	750ml
<b>Class</b>	Junmai Daiginjo, Muroka, Nama
<b>Rice</b>	Calrose
<b>Rice (kakemai)</b>	Calrose
<b>Water</b>	San Gabriel
<b>Rice-Polishing Ratio</b>	50%
<b>Yeast</b>	Kyokai 7
<b>Sake Meter Value</b>	-6
<b>Acidity</b>	3.5
<b>Amino Acids Level</b>	1.8
<b>Alcohol by Volume</b>	14-15%
<b>Introduced in</b>	2021
<b>Brewery Location</b>	Covina, CA
<b>Brewery Head</b>	James Jin



<b>SWEET</b>	<b>SEMI-SWEET</b>	<b>SEMI-DRY</b>	<b>DRY</b>	<b>EXTRA-DRY</b>
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<b>FRAGRANT</b>	<b>LIGHT</b>	<b>AGED</b>	<b>RICH</b>
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<b>COLD</b>	<b>ROOM TEMP</b>	<b>BODY TEMP</b>	<b>WARM</b>
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<b>APERITIF</b>	<b>APPETIZER</b>	<b>MAIN DISH</b>	<b>DIGESTIF</b>
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<b>Food Pairings</b>
Sushi, Sashimi, Clam Linguini, Steamed Seafood, Yakitori, Aged Parmesan Cheese, Gorgonzola Cheese

<b>Tasting Notes</b>
The unique use of black koji gives this sake high acidity and rich umami. The sweetness balances out with the high acidity, reminiscent of a white wine, but finishes light like a sake. As a sake born in the wine state, California, this sake defines what it means to be an artisanal California sake. This is the ideal sake for pairing with light salty foods and foods with ample umami.

<b>Awards</b>
2022 New York World Wine & Spirits Competition - Silver Medal 2021 New York World Wine & Spirits Competition - Silver Medal