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# Travel by Centram Toyama Sushi



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# Sushi tour traveled by

There are a number of excellent sushi restaurants located along the Centram route in Toyama City. It only takes a short ride and walk to visit these restaurants and enjoy a great combination of fresh seafood from Toyama Bay and delicious rice. Toyama is probably one of only a few places where you can visit several sushi restaurants by tram in the space of one day.

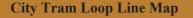


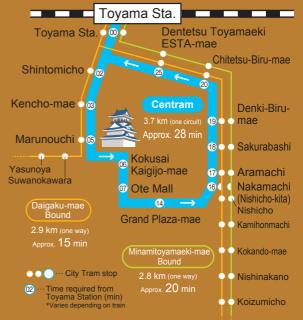


Centram in three chic color designs









# Centram

### Centram (City Tram Loop Line)

This tram loop line circulates around the city center from Toyama Station, and is well known by its nickname "Centram". The entire route can be covered in approx. 28 minutes. The carriages are in three different colors (white, silver and black) with an edgy and modern design. They are low-floored to make it easier to get on, and installed with large windows that allow passengers to view the often impressive scenery en route, including the magnificent Tateyama Mountains and Toyama Castle Ruins.

Fare

Operation time

200 yen for adult 100 yen for child (Free for preschoolers) 9:00 to 19:30 – Travel about every 14 minutes Outside the above time – Travel about every 28 minutes (The first train departs at 6:20 and the last train at 22:26 from Toyama Station)

#### City Tram in Toyama City

In addition to the loop line that runs around the city center, City Tram has two routes that connect to Toyama University and Minami-Toyama Station of Toyama Chiho Railway to offer a convenient method of transportation. The carriages are in a variety of designs, including the some latest low-floor feature as in Centram and the "Retro Train" designed by Eiji Mitooka.





City Tram (Retro Train)

# Introduction to Toyama Sushi

Guide to enjoying the great taste of Toyama sushi

# Traditional sushi restaurant



The chef makes the individual sushi immediately after he/she takes the order, which is very different from the style of a conveyor belt restaurant. Enjoy the real experience and the great freshly-made taste of sushi in Toyama.

# How to order correctly



It's best to let the chef know what you don't like or you can't eat and how much you would like to pay. It's also a good idea to order something you are interested in and repeat it if you like it.

# Toyama sushi is excellent.



A large number and variety of seasonal seafoods are landed in Toyama Bay, and they are delivered to restaurants in a very fresh state. Try the firefly squid and white shrimp that can only be eaten in Toyama.

#### Sushi terminology

Geta The wooden platform that sushi is served on. Named for its similarity to the Japanese wooden footwear, geta.



Green tea. This is used to remove the oily feel on the palate. It's usually free of charge with free refills.

#### Gari

Thinly sliced and vinegar pickled ginger. This is used as a kind of garnish and may have a slightly antiseptic effect. The name of this pickle comes from the sound that is made when chewing it.

#### Namida

Wasabi horseradish. "Namida" means tears in Japanese.

#### Neta —

Sushi toppings, mainly seafood.

Shari Rice seasoned with vinegar and salt. Also called "Sumeshi."

#### Murasaki -

Soy sauce. This sauce has a purplish tinge, and "Murasaki" is Japanese for purple.

### Toyama's specialty seafood



#### Buri (Yellowtail)

Well-known as the "King of Toyama Bay." It becomes fattier and richer tasting in winter.



White shrimp

Toyama Bay is the only place in the world where a large number of white shrimp can be caught. They have a melt-in-the-mouth texture and a subtle sweetness.

#### Toyama shrimp (Humpback shrimp)

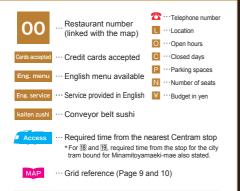
These shrimp have plenty of sweetness and flavor with a fleshy texture. Though they are caught all year round, the best season is from autumn to spring.



**Red snow crab** 

Fresh ones are always available during the prime season (September to December) as the fishing ground is very close to Toyama. These crabs attract a lot of fans due to their meaty flesh with a distinctive sweetness.

### Guide to This Booklet



- OMost of the prices shown are without tax. The prices that include tax are indicated by "incl. tax".
- OSpecific dates are not indicated for the "New Year period" as days closed. Please contact each restaurant for detailed information.
- O Sushi ingredients may vary depending on the season and market conditions.



### Casual sushi restaurant, popular with a variety of customer types Kaiten Toyama Sushi, Toyama Station



Exclusive sushi lunch set (¥1,780)

The staff purchases fresh ingredients at the local fishing port every morning, and can offer seasonal tastes at an affordable price. The restaurant's other specialty is to offer all 18 kinds of local sake to accompany the delicious sushi. Its casual, welcoming atmosphere and ideal location near Toyama Station is perfect for those who may want to drop in alone.

#### DATA

#### kaiten zushi Eng. service Eng. menu Cards accepted

2076-431-5448 toyama-kitokito.co.jp 1-4-9 Sakura-machi, Toyama City 11:30 - 21:00 (LO 20:45) Ist and 3rd Wednesdays N 27 seats (15 at counter, 12 at tables) \*Non-smoking 1,200 or above for lunch, 2,000 or above for dinner P None



Access 1-min walk from Dentetsu Toyamaeki ESTA-mae MAP B-1



#### Freshest tastes according to the season

## Sushitama, Toyama Station



Assorted Sushi featuring freshly landed local seafood (¥1,500)

The seafood served here is cultivated beneath the choppy waves of the Japan Sea and delivered directly from Toyama Bay, Himi, Kanazawa Port and Noto. This kaiten-zushi (conveyor belt sushi) restaurant offers sushi with the freshest ingredients landed directly from the sea at low prices. Enjoy the tastes according to the season.

#### DATA

2076-471-8127 www.sushitama.com/ 1-220 Meirin-cho, Toyama City (in Toyamarche) 11:00 - 21:30 (LO 21:00)

- C Open all year round (except January 1st and irregular holidays) 38 seats (18 at counter, 20 at tables) \*Non-smoking
- 1.000 or above for lunch, 1.500 or above for dinner P None

Access 2-min walk from Toyama Station MAP A-1



# Aburian Toyamazushi



The freshest seasonal seafood is served here, procured daily from the morning market and meticulously selected with a professional eye. In addition to excellent sushi, a wide variety of other dishes are offered, such as sashimi, grilled fish, and original konbujime (seafood marinated with kelp). Indulge yourself with delicious food and tasty beverages, like local sake, shochu and wine.

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aburian-toyamasushi.gorp.jp/ Ist floor, Daiwa Roynet Hotel Toyama Station, 1-3-39, Sakura-machi, Toyama City 17:00 - 23:30 (LO 23:00) C Open all year round 132 seats (12 at counter, 120 at tables) \*Non-smoking 4,000 or above P None

Access 1-min walk from Dentetsu Tovamaeki ESTA-mae MAP A-1

### A wide choice of items at reasonable prices Ayumizushi Bunke, Toyama Station



Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥3,200)

This restaurant has been popular with local residents since its establishment 30 years ago. There are three types of assorted sushi sets: 1,800 yen (8 pieces), 2,000 yen (8 pieces) and 2,500 yen (9 pieces), as well as sashimi offered from 2,000 yen. It is located near Toyama Station and open till after midnight.

#### DATA

#### **2076-432-3850**

IF Kosugi Bldg., 2-2-7 Sakura-machi, Toyama City
 17:30 – 24:00 C Sundays (When a national holiday falls on
 a Sunday, closed on the following Monday), the New Year period
 10 seats at counter \*Smoking permitted

¥ 3,000 or above 🛛 🖻 None

Access 2-min walk from Shintomicho Station MAP B-1



Commitment to the quality of the ingredients is the key to the exceptional taste Bunke Ayumizushi Jun



With its devotion to selecting high quality ingredients, this restaurant uses such local treats as mild natural water, seafood from Toyama Bay, and rice that perfectly complements the taste of fresh seafood. Further enhance this top-notch dining experience by choosing from the splendid selection of sakes on offer. Elaborately decorated sushi plates for special occasions can also be ordered.

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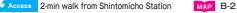
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#### **2076-444-6550**

1F Kikui Bldg., 2-29 Uchisaiwai-cho, Toyama City
 17:00 - 23:00 (24:00 on Friday and Saturday)

C Sundays

N 13 seats (7 at counter, 6 in tatami rooms) \*Non-smoking ♀ 3,000 or above ♀ None



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#### Seasonal tastes presented by a highly skilled chef in a modern interior

## Mikizushi Honten



At this restaurant, with the history of over 60 years, the Tokyo-trained third generation owner offers delicacies from Toyama Bay all presented using skills acquired through real experience. A variety of set menus, as well as a la carte options and fine, selected local sake are offered in a modern interior and atmosphere. English menu is available.

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#### **2076-432-7201**

📙 1-7-5 Sakura-machi, Toyama City

 Image: 11:30 - 14:00 (LO 13:30), 17:00 - Until all the ingredients run out

 Image: Wednesdays and the New Year period

 Image: None tables, 24 in tatami rooms)

 \*Smoking permitted in a separate area

 Image: 2,800 or above for lunch and dinner

 Image: None

Access 3-min walk from Dentetsu Toyamaeki ESTA-mae MAP B-1

### A wide variety of fresh seafood and quality Japanese beef Gincho Iki-zushi, Toyama Dai-jchi Hotel

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Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥3,000)

This restaurant offers a wide variety of seafood landed at Himi Port, the top producer in terms of number of catches in the Toyama Bay area. One extra piece will be added to the "Toyama Bay Sushi" set if a reservation is made by the previous day. "Roasted Himi Beef" made from A5-ranked Japanese beef is another sumptuous specialty of this restaurant.

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#### Eng. menu Cards accepted

#### **☎076-441-7188**

📙 10-10 Sakuragi-cho, Toyama City

 
 I1:30 - 14:30 (LO 14:00), 17:00 - 22:00 (LO 21:30) on weekdays and Saturdays, 17:00 - 21:00 (LO 20:30) on Sundays
 Image: Comparison of Sundays
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Sushiken



Top quality fatty tuna (Reservation required by the previous day)

This restaurant offers the kind of extravagant tastes that can only be enjoyed in Toyama. The owner's generosity is represented by the top quality fatty tuna on offer, which is the No. 1 recommendation of this restaurant, and offered at the cost price of 1,500 yen a piece. (Only one per customer allowed) The seasonal assortment selected personally by the chef is under 3,500 yen, which is very reasonable.

#### DATA www.sushiken.jp 8-15 Sakuragi-cho, Toyama City 17:00 - 22:00 (LO 21:30) Sundays and national holidays 20 seats (10 at counter, 10 at tables) N 5.000 or above 🛛 🖻 None MAP A-2 Access 4-min walk from Sakurabashi Station



Natural and quality ingredients in a stylish atmosphere Sushidokoro Sasaki



Assorted sushi set (¥3,000), Simmered yellowtail with daikon radish (¥600)

This sushi restaurant purchases fresh seafood from different fishing ports in Toyoma Prefecture. All the ingredients, including rice, water and wasabi horseradish, are natural, high in quality, and carefully selected to provide food of a topnotch taste. Enjoy a little extravagance in the new and stylish interior.

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#### **2076-431-6788**

Kelly Bldg., 1-6-11 Sogawa, Toyama City 17:30 – 23:30 (Reservations required after 21:00) C Sundays, national holidays, summer holidays and the New Year period N 16 seats (8 at counter, 8 at tables) \*Non-smoking 5.000 or above P None





#### Highly flexible in accordance with your preferences or group size

### Ayumizushi Honke



Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥3,000)

This Edomae style sushi restaurant offers a very wide selection of local produce, mainly from Toyama Bay. This includes not only fresh seafood but also specialized items delivered directly from the areas of production. It is open until 1:00 a.m. and welcomes and caters for different size groups, either at the counter, or in large tatami rooms.

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#### **2076-433-5066**

1-2-29 Kita-Shinmachi, Toyama City

17:00 - 25:00 (LO 24:30) Closes at 23:00 on Sundays and national holidays (LO 22:30) C Mondays and the New Year period

46 seats (15 at counter, 31 in tatami rooms) \*Smoking permitted 6.000 or above Provided

Access 6-min walk from Sakurabashi Station MAP A-2

# **Ippeizushi Honten**



Chef-selected 3-piece special (¥3,500)

This long-standing restaurant has the cozy feeling of a family-run business. Located near to entertainment district of Sakuragi-cho, Ippeizushi serves great-tasting sushi at a reasonable price. Their lunch specials are popular amongst the afternoon crowd and, because they stay open until 1:00 am, they are highly recommended for a late night bite after a bit of drinking.

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- 2-3-17 Sogawa, Toyama City
- 11:30 13:30 (only on weekdays), 17:00 25:00 C Irregularly N 30 seats (6 at counter, 4 on tatami room, 20 in tatami rooms [Reservations required]) \*Smoking permitted ¥ 700 or above for lunch, 3.000 or above for dinner None

MAP A-2 shi and seasonal dishes featuring fresh ingredients from Toyama

## Sushi Sharaku



Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥2,500)

Located very close to Toyama Castle, this restaurant is extremely popular among those working in the business district, especially as it serves a variety of sushi set menus during lunch hours. It also offers local dishes from Toyama, including Toyama Bay Sushi set, deep-fried white shrimp, kelp-flavord sashimi, and overnight dried fish. There are tatami rooms on the 2nd and 3rd floors for the use of larger groups and parties.

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<sup>☎</sup>076-491-0700 sushi-toyama.jimdo.com
 <sup>■</sup>5-13 Otemachi, Toyama City
 <sup>0</sup>11:30 - 13:00 (LO 13:00) (only on weekdays), 17:00 - 21:00 (LO 21:00)
 <sup>∞</sup>Sundays, national holidays and the New Year period № 70 seats

(12 at counter, 58 in tatami rooms) \*Smoking permitted 800 or above for lunch, 1,000 or above for dinner Provided (only at night)

Access 1-min walk from Kokusai Kaigijo-mae Station MAP B-3



High quality sushi, exclusively tasted on its own without any alcohol **Sushiei, Sogawa** 



Toyama sushi set (¥3,000)

This restaurant, established in 1948, offers sushi only. There are no other items on the menu, no alcohol served, and smoking is not permitted. The customers come to enjoy the deliciousness of sushi exclusively, sitting at the counter and watching the highly skilled chef's technique. Many customers come here alone, probably due to the relaxing and intimate atmosphere.

#### DATA

CO76-421-7035 www.susiei.com
2-8-22 Sogawa, Toyama City
11:30 - 14:00, 17:00 - 21:00
Wednesdays and the New Year period
12 seats at counter \*Non-smoking
1,500 or above for lunch, 2,000 or above for dinner
None

Access 2-min walk from Grand Plaza-mae Station MAP B-3



# Seafood, sake... everything served here is from Toyama **Sushitomi**



Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥2,500)

The most popular dish in this restaurant is Toyama Bay Sushi, made with the freshest local seafood delivered directly from Himi Fishing Port right in Toyama Bay. The amazing white prawn *kakiage* tempura also attracts a legion of repeat visitors. Enjoy the true bounty of the local waters, complemented by Toyama's original sake.

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#### **2076-421-1256**

📙 3-2-6 Sogawa, Toyama City

- 0 12:00 14:00, 17:00 24:00 (LO 23:30)
- C Mondays and the New Year period
- N 22 seats (12 at counter, 10 in tatami rooms) \*Smoking permitted in a separate area 1,160 or above for lunch, 2,700 or above for dinner 2 None

Access 3-min walk from Grand Plaza-mae Station

MAP B-3

#### Great-tasting sushi and shoch Ebizushi



Smoked white shrimp (¥300)

Opened in 1962, this restaurant is managed and operated by the third generation. Their clientele covers a broad spectrum from young couples to businessmen, while their showcase of seafood is stocked with seasonal catch from Toyama Bay. It is strongly recommended to pair any of the more-than 50 brands of shoch with the fisted sushi of your choice.

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#### Cards accepted

076-423-6063 www.ebizushi.com

- 2-13 Toyokawa-cho, Toyama City
- Weekdays 17:00 24:00, Sundays & Holidays 17:00 23:00
   Wednesdays N 54 seats (12 at counter, 12 at tables, 30 in tatami rooms) \*Non-smoking
  - 5.000 or above P Provided



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# Edomae Sushimasa



Toyama Bay Sushi set (¥3,000)

The staff of this restaurant goes to Himi Port personally and carefully selects the highest quality seafood using his experienced and professional eye. The extensive dinner menu includes "Motenashi," the Toyama Bay Sushi course, as well as a la carte dishes, such as Shrimp Miso Sushi Roll, which is very popular among tourists. Lunches are very reasonably priced from 900 yen.

#### DATA

Eng. menu Cards accepted

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076-421-3860 www.sushimasa.asia
 4-29 Ichiban-machi, Toyama City
 11:00 - 13:30 (Monday-Friday only), 17:00 - 23:00

C Tuesdays (Open during GW, summer holidays and the New Year period)

N 34 seats (10 at counter, 8 on tatami platform, 16 in tatami room) \*Non-smoking

¥ 900 or above for lunch, 1.500 or above for dinner P Provided

Access

2-min walk from Ote Mall Station MAP



Delicious fresh seafood and pleasant conversation Shirozushi



Sushi lunch (¥1,500)

This restaurant offers the freshest of items, mainly sourced at Yokata Port. The prices are very reasonable, and the menu is flexible enough to suit all budgets. Another feature here is the bonus of a pleasant conversation with the owner, which can often add a little extra spice to the delicious food.

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**☎076-421-1817** 

I -2-15 Minamida-machi, Toyama City
 I 1:30 - 13:30 (LO 13:30), 17:00 - 22:00 (LO 22:00)
 Thursdays and January 1 № 19 seats (9 at counter, 10 in tatami rooms) \*Smoking permitted ¥ 1,500 or above for lunch, 4,000 or above for a dinner course selected by the chef Provided







# Specially selected ingredients and a comfortable atmosphere **Isozushi**



The owner of this restaurant goes to the market every day and uses his extensive knowledge to carefully select ingredients. This place is popular not only for sushi but also other dishes, such as Hell-Grilled Crab and grilled conger eel. The comfortable and hospitable atmosphere may make you feel like staying for a long time.

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#### **2076-423-6690**

🖪 3-4-8 Sengoku-machi, Toyama City

17:00 - 22:00 (LO 21:30)
 Mondays and the New Year period
 34 seats (8 at counter, 8 in tatami rooms, 18 on the second floor) \*Smoking permitted in a separate area

 ✓ 7,000 or above

 Provided



Enjoy seasonal pleasures with the sounds of the river as a ba Sushikichi



Snow crab (Prices will vary according to the market price)

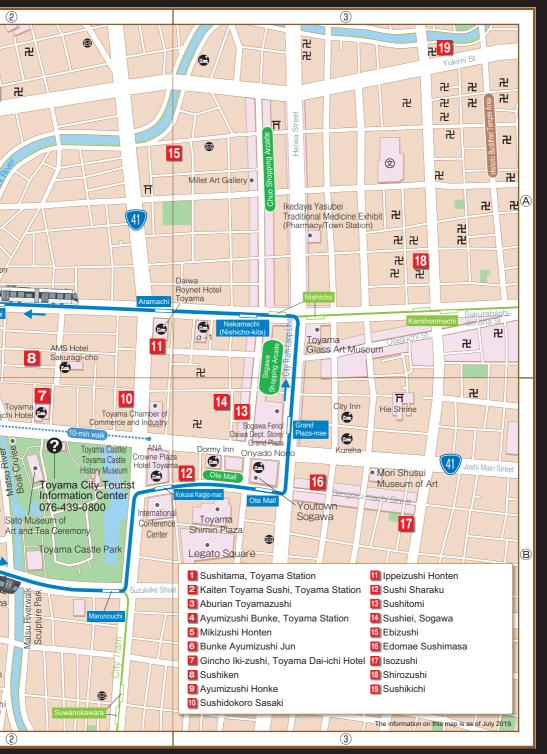
This restaurant is located right by the Itachi River and offers a truly relaxing atmosphere. After taking off your shoes and settling in, you might get the impression you are visiting a friend's home. Enjoy the freshest seasonal tastes in this relaxing and comfortable atmosphere.

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- 2076-493-5855 www.ctt.ne.jp/~ken/
- L 2-1-6 Tatsumi-cho, Toyama City
- 0 17:00 22:00
- C Mondays
- 16 seats (8 at counter, 8 in tatami rooms) \*Smoking permitted ♀ 3,500 or above P Provided
  - cess 10-min walk from Nakamachi Station
    - 8-min walk from Kamihonmachi City Tram Station

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The more you know about the best seafood of the season, the more delicious it tastes

# Toyama Seafood Calendar

		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3
Yellowtail	Tsubaiso				_								
	Fukuragi												
	Buri								_				
Halfbeak													
Black porgy													
Red sea bream													
Rockfish													
Tuna													
Hilgendorf saucord							_		_				
Parrot bass / Red-spotted grouper										_			
White shrimp							-						
Sweet shrimp													
Toyama shrimp									_				
Bigfin reef squid													
Firefly squid													
Red snow crab									_				
Queen crab													
Female snow crab											_		
Thread-sail filefish													
Ivory shell			_	_			_		_	_		_	
Rock oyster / Turban shell													
Flounder													

This is a rough indication of when major seafood species are in season. There are a lot more kinds of delicious seafood outside of this list.

Please contact the restaurant directly if you require further information.

For tourist information

### Toyama City Tourist Information Center TEL: 076-439-0800

Open: 9:00 – 18:30 Closed: The New Year period 1-45 Honmaru, Toyama City 930-0081

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