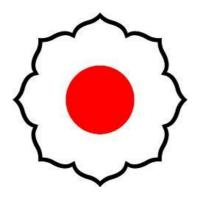
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古式の形 Koshiki-no-Kata

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Introduction

"Koshiki-no-Kata" has its origin in Kito School of Jujutsu which Kano Jigoro Shihan learned before he established Kodokan Judo. He has acknowledged this Kata to be highly effective and appropriate in terms of its technical traits, theoretical values as Kata and means for mental and spiritual training and established it, as almost as it had originally been, as Kodokan's "Koshiki-no-Kata."

This *Kata* is based on throwing techniques of *Yoroi-Kumiuchi* in which *Samurai* warriors of those days used to fight against each other while wearing armor and composed of 14 sets of *Omote-no-Kata* and 7 sets of *Ura-no-Kata*. *Omote-no-Kata* represents tranquility of mind and solemn elegance of every aspect of its behavior and conducts with accuracy of every movement in offense and defense, while *Ura-no-Kata* demonstrates agile and bold motions, and both exhibit the reasoning and theory of offense and defense in *Judo* as profound *Kata*.

Koshiki-no-Kata: Names of the techniques

Omote

- 1. Tai
- 2. Yume-no-uchi
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- 4. Mizu-guruma
- 5. Mizu-nagare
- 6. Hiki-otoshi
- 7. Ko-daore
- 8. Uchi-kudaki
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Ura

- 1. Mi-kudaki
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- 3. Mizu-iri
- 4. Ryu-setsu
- 5. Saka-otoshi
- 6. Yuki-ore
- 7. Iwa-nami

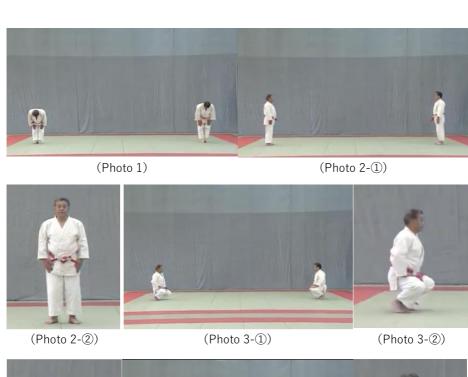
Beginning formalities

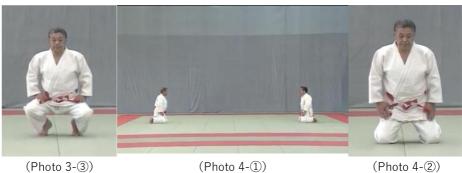
Tori and *Uke* stand upright on the center line of *Dojo* with a distance of about 5 m (about 3 *ken*), while *Tori* stands on the right side and *Uke* on the left toward *Shomen*, to face each other. Both *Tori* and *Uke* turn to face *Shomen* and make standing bows simultaneously (Photo 1).

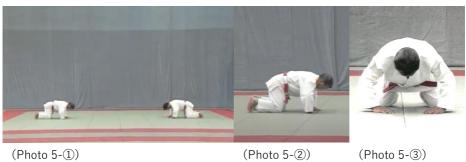
Then, both *Tori* and *Uke* turn to face each other on the same spot, while standing with their heels slightly apart and make seated bows.

This seated bow procedure differs from the ordinary one, i.e., both *Tori* and *Uke* stand with their heels slightly apart (Photo $2 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$), bend both of their knees to lower hips, put both of their palms on their knees (Photo $3 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$) and then, put their knees on *Tatami* one by one (Photo $4 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$), put both of their hands on *Tatami* and make seated bows while putting their toes on *Tatami* and raising their hips (Photo $5 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$). After finishing seated bows, both *Tori* and *Uke* raise their upper bodies and then, their kneecaps one by one to stand up with their heels slightly apart.

This seated bow procedure shall be a formal one, but making ordinary standing bows shall also be acceptable.







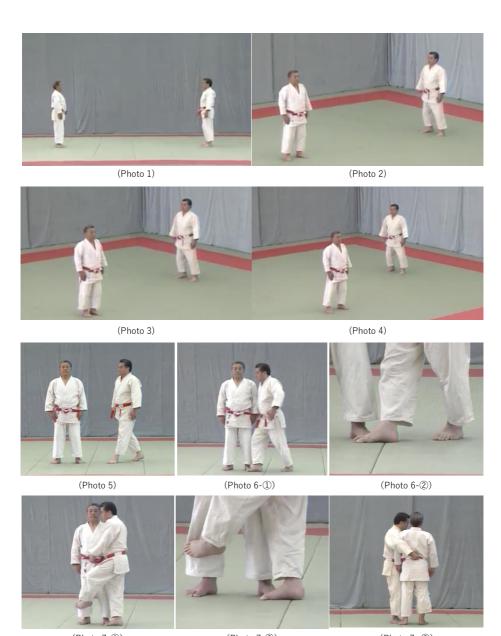
(Photo 5-2) (Photo 5-3)

Omote

1. Tai

After finishing "Beginning formalities," both *Tori* and *Uke* simultaneously take wide steps forward with their left feet to stand in *Shizen-hontai* (Photo 1). *Tori* turns to his right (toward *Shomen*), while moving his left foot slightly forward, to stand in *Shizen-hontai* (Photo 2). Then, *Tori* moves two steps forward with his left and right feet to stand with heels slightly apart (Photo 3) and, after invigoration, takes another wide step forward with his left foot to stand in *Shizen-hontai* (Photo 4). During this sequence, while watching *Tori*'s behavior, *Uke* turns toward *Tori* after *Tori* stands in *Shizen-hontai*.

Uke quietly moves forward, with his left foot first, to get closer to the left side behind *Tori* (Photo 5), puts his right foot in front of *Tori*'s left foot (with his right foot right before the *Tori*'s left toe) (Photo 6-①②), after taking a pause of one breath to tranquilize himself, raises both of his arms forward, while slightly stretching elbows to grip the back side of *Tori*'s belt with his right hand and the front side with his left hand. Upon doing so, while driving his weight on his right foot, turning his left toe slightly inward and swinging it up toward the front side of *Tori*'s right knee (Photo 7-①②③), *Uke* slightly pulls both of his arms to get closer to *Tori*, while putting the right side of his hip on the front side of *Tori*'s left hip, and attempts to throw *Tori* with *Koshi-nage* at a stroke by utilizing reaction to swing back his left foot toward its original position and strongly pulling both of his hands (Photo 8, 9).



(Photo 7-①) (Photo 7-②) (Photo 7-③)

At this instant, immediately taking slightly Jigo-tai position, Tori inserts his left hand under Uke's right armpit and then, behind Uke and puts it on the left side of *Uke*'s hip to hold the back side of *Uke*'s left hip tightly with his left arm. Tori puts his right palm (with his fingers facing upward) on the upper side of Uke's left chest to push Uke (Photo 10), moves toward his left rear corner with his left foot by *Tsugi-ashi*, while responding *Uke's* pulling his hands, and pushes *Uke* to break the balance backward with both of his hands and by moving his body. While losing his balance. Uke retreats (with Avumi-ashi), tries to restore his position and resists *Tori*, who continues to push (Photo 11). *Tori* moves a few steps, while continuing to control *Uke* who continuously tries to restore his position and rise up, and upon pushing Uke far enough to break the balance backward (Photo 12-02), Tori takes a step backward with his right foot, puts his right knee close to his left heel to lower his body deeply, (while putting his right toe on *Tatami*), and throws down Uke over his left knee with both of his hands. When being thrown down by Tori, Uke takes a wide step leftward with his left foot, then, draws his right foot toward his left, while avoiding Tori's left kneecap, takes a further step leftward with his left foot and, after taking Ukemi backward by hitting *Tatami* with his left hand, *Uke* raises his upper body, while widely opening both of his legs with both his knees stretched and putting both of his palms naturally on his thighs, to take Kaikvaku-choza position (Photo 13, 14, 15, 16).

After throwing *Uke*, *Tori* puts his left hand on his left knee (with his fingers facing inside) and turns his left foot leftward just like drawing an arc to take *Kurai* in his stable position (Photo 17- \bigcirc 2).



2. Yume-no-uchi

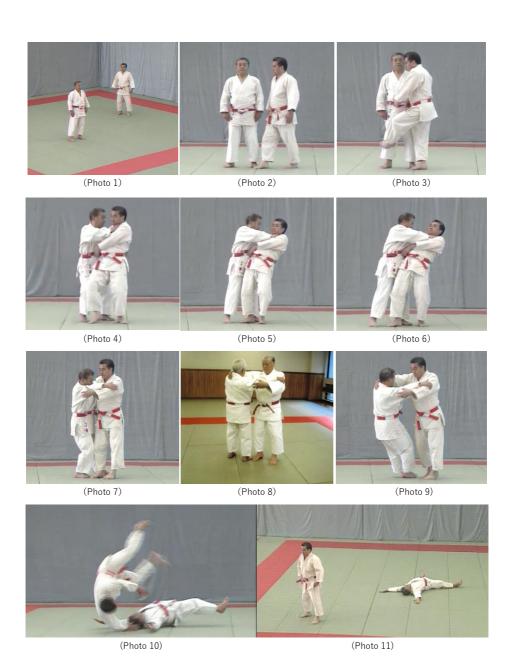
Tori moves to the spot, which is diagonally leftward and slightly behind where he started "Tai," and stands in Shizen-hontai toward Shomen. Uke returns to the spot where he started "Tai" and stands in Shizen-hontai toward Tori (Photo 1).

Uke gets closer to *Tori* as he did in "*Tai*" (Photo 2) and attempts to throw *Tori* with *Koshi-nage* (Photo 3). Responding *Uke*, *Tori* also attempts to control *Uke* as he did in "*Tai*" (Photo 4, 5). While losing his balance backward, *Uke* tries to restore his position and withstands by slightly retreating with his left foot (Photo 6).

Then, *Tori* changes the directions of his attack, while utilizing *Uke*'s pushing-back force and moving up his left hand from the back side of *Uke*'s hip toward the right side of *Uke*'s back, and lifts *Uke*'s body forward to break the balance. While being broken his balance forward by *Tori*, *Uke* takes a step forward with his left foot (aligning both of feet) and tries to stay (Photo 7).

While moving his right hand from *Uke*'s left chest, via outside of *Uke*'s left upper arm, to the upper side of *Uke*'s elbow, *Tori* turns his right toe inside, turns to his left by retreating his left foot closer to his right as turning back and drives his weight on both of his heels (with both of his feet outside of *Uke*'s right foot) (Photo 8). *Tori* takes a few small steps backward with both of his feet (Photo 9) and, upon *Uke*'s being unable to sustain his balance, *Tori* renders his body on his back underneath *Uke*'s legs, while applying more force on both of his hands, to throw *Uke* over his right armpit and left shoulder and takes so-called "*Dai-no-ji*" posture by spreading both of his arms laterally and legs.

Uke puts his right hand on *Tatami* over *Tori*'s left shoulder, jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 10, 11).



3. Ryoku-hi

Tori stands in *Shizen-hontai* on the center of *Dojo* with his right side toward *Shomen*. *Uke* quietly gets closer to *Tori* by turning around *Tori*'s left side just like drawing an arc and stands to face *Tori* in a distance of about one step (Photo 1).

Uke opens both of his arms widely to turn both of his palms downward, raises them forward (with his right hand over his left), takes a step forward with his right foot while crossing both of his hands around their wrists and attempts to grip the front side of *Tori*'s belt from above with both of his hands (Photo 2-①②).

When both of *Uke*'s hands are about to grip the front side of his belt, *Tori* pulls back his hips and, at the same time, takes a step slightly backward with his right foot toward his right rear corner to avoid *Uke*'s attack. Upon *Uke*'s being unable to grip the front side of *Tori*'s belt and losing the balance forward, *Tori* immediately sweeps away *Uke*'s right wrist from outside to inside with his left hand (with thumb facing upward) and grips *Uke*'s wrist to pull it forward (Photo 3- \mathbb{O} 2).

While turning to his right by retreating his right foot further, *Tori* puts his right hand (with its back facing downward and thumb upward) over his left hand to grip the upper side of Uke's right elbow from outside and pulls Uke toward him to bring Uke to his right front corner (Photo 4-02).

While trying to keep the balance of his body, *Uke* takes an oblique stance on his right foot being driven forward (with *Tsugi-ashi*) by *Tori* (Photo 5).

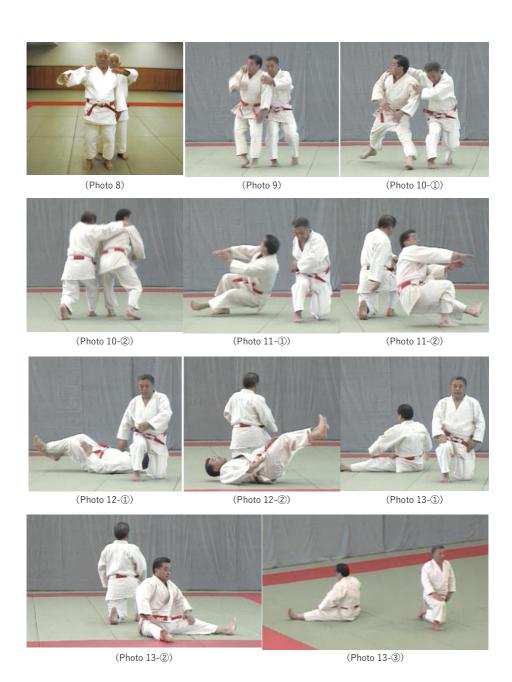
Tori moves to his right front corner as *Uke* changes his stance, and, while pushing up *Uke*'s right elbow diagonally upward with his right hand and controlling *Uke* by putting his left hand around the middle of *Uke*'s left upper arm, *Tori* moves a few steps, slightly lifts up *Uke*'s body with both of his hands (Photo 6). *Tori* puts his right chest on the left side of *Uke*'s back to break *Uke*'s balance upward by lifting *Uke*'s body.

Uke leans back with his upper body and stands on his toes (Photo 7-0@3).



When *Tori* loosens his control over *Uke*'s body, *Uke* puts both of his heels on *Tatami* and tries to keep the balance of his body. Then, *Tori* puts his right hand on the front side of *Uke*'s right shoulder and creeps up his left hand from *Uke*'s left arm to put it on the front side of *Uke*'s left shoulder (Photo 8). Upon doing so, *Tori* takes a wide step backward with his left foot and puts his left knee on *Tatami* (with his toe on *Tatami*, while raising his heel) to lower his body deeply (with his right knee still raised) and, at the same time, pulls down *Uke* right behind with both of his hands at a stroke (Photo 9).

After taking a wide step right backward with his right foot and taking *Ukemi* by hitting *Tatami* with his right hand (Photo $10 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 \cdot 0$, $11 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 \cdot 0$), *Uke* raises his upper body to take *Kaikyaku-choza* position as he did in "*Tai*" (Photo $13 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 \cdot 0$).

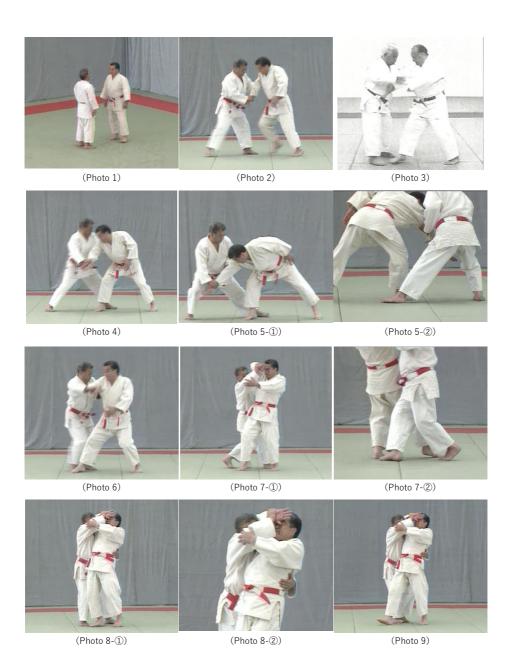


4. Mizu-guruma

Tori stands in Shizen-hontai on the center of Dojo with his right side toward Shomen. Uke gets closer to Tori as he did in "Ryoku-hi" and stands to face Tori in a distance of about one step (Photo 1).

As he did in "*Ryoku-hi*," *Uke* attempts to grip the front side of *Tori*'s belt (Photo 2). Then *Tori* takes a wide step backward with his right foot to avoid *Uke*'s attack, grips *Uke*'s right wrist with his right hand and puts his left hand on slightly above *Uke*'s right elbow, while trying to pull down *Uke* diagonally rightward (Photo 3, 4). Trying not to be broken his balance by *Tori*, *Uke* moves his right foot slightly forward to withstand, while trying to raise his body (Photo 5-①②).

Tori loosens his pulling-hands (Photo 6) and immediately takes a wide step forward with his right foot toward the outside of *Uke*'s right foot (Photo 7-①②). Then, while moving his left foot toward the lateral side of *Uke* and turning his body to his right, *Tori* pushes up *Uke*'s right wrist with his right hand, presses the back of *Uke*'s right hand onto *Uke*'s forehead and releases his left hand from *Uke*'s right arm to hold the backside of *Uke*'s hips (Photo 8-①②). While slightly lowering his hips and applying force on both of his hands and the movement of his body, *Tori* pushes *Uke* backward to break the balance (Photo 9, 10). When his whole weight is about to be on both of his heels, *Uke* withstands by slightly retreating with his left foot (Photo 11).



While utilizing Uke's pushing-back force, Tori gradually loosens pushing with his right hand and lets Uke raise his body and then, while creeping up his left hand from the back side of Uke's hips to the right side of Uke's back and lifting Uke's body forward to break the balance, Tori moves his right hand from Uke's right wrist to put it on the upper side of Uke's left elbow (Photo 12, 13-023) to throw Uke as he did in "Yume-no-uchi" (Photo 14, 15, 16).

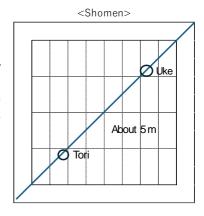
Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 17-①②).



5. Mizu-nagare

Tori moves to the back side of the left corner toward Shomen of Dojo. After standing up, Uke turns to face Tori in correspondence with Tori's movement and both Tori and other Uke face each diagonally Shizen-hontai with a distance of about 5 m (Photo 1).

(See the right-side Figure)



Both *Tori* and *Uke* quietly get closer each

other. After taking a few steps forward, Uke bends his right hand fingers slightly, puts its back on the right side of his back hips (as if he were holding a stiletto in it) and gets closer to Tori, while gradually raising his left hand with its palm facing downward (Photo 2). Upon reaching the distance, Uke takes a wide step forward with his left foot and attempts to hook Tori's collar (equivalent to the chest board of armor) with four fingers of his left hand to draw *Tori* toward him (as if *Uke* attempted to draw *Tori* toward him with his left hand and stab Tori with his stiletto held in his right hand). While retreating slightly with his right foot in a moment, Tori pulls back his jaw and leans back with his upper body to avoid *Uke's* attack (Photo 3). Upon *Uke's* being unable to hook *Tori's* collar and losing the balance forward, Tori quickly retreats with his right and then, left feet by Tsugi-ashi, grips Uke's left hand with his right hand from below and small finger side to pull it up forward and puts his left hand on the bottom side of Uke's upper arm to push it up (Photo 4) and then, Tori applies force on both of his hands to lift *Uke*'s body further upward and breaks *Uke*'s balance (Photo 5-①②).

Upon *Uke's* being pulled to break his balance by *Tori* and having his whole weight on his left toe. Tori turns around and creeps up his left palm to put it on the inside of *Uke's* upper arm and push it outward (Photo 6-02). *Tori* pulls down his right hand strongly and, while retreating with his right foot and putting his right knee on *Tatami*, pulls down *Uke* forward strongly at a stroke (Photo 7). Uke turns his right foot rightward, outward and backward with a pivot of his left toe and turns over laterally (Photo 8).

After being pulled down and turned over, *Uke* raises his upper body to take Kaikyaku-choza position (Photo 9).



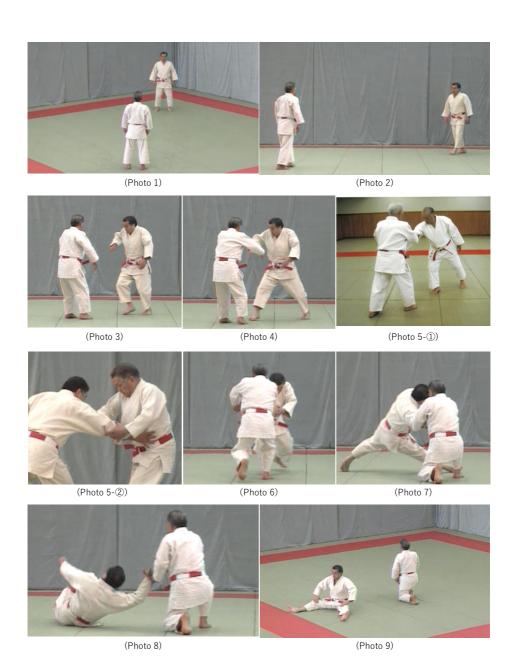
6. Hiki-otoshi

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the opposite sides to those in "*Mizu-nagare*" to face each other diagonally in *Shizen-hontai* with a distance of about 5 m (Photo 1).

Both *Tori* and *Uke* quietly get closer each other (Photo 2) and upon reaching the distance, *Uke* steps forward with his right foot and attempts to grab some object on *Tori*'s waist with his right hand (Photo 3).

While retreating with his left and then right feet by *Tsugi-ashi*, *Tori* avoids *Uke*'s attack. Upon *Uke*'s being unable to grab the object on *Tori*'s waist and losing the balance forward (Photo 4), *Tori* grips *Uke*'s right wrist from above with his left hand, puts his right hand on *Uke*'s right upper arm with his thumb facing upward (Photo 5- \mathbb{O} 2) and, while retreating again with his left foot and putting his left knee on *Tatami*, pulls down *Uke* forward with both of his hands (Photo 6, 7).

After falling down with a pivot of his right toe and taking *Ukemi* (Photo 8), *Uke* raises his upper body to take *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).

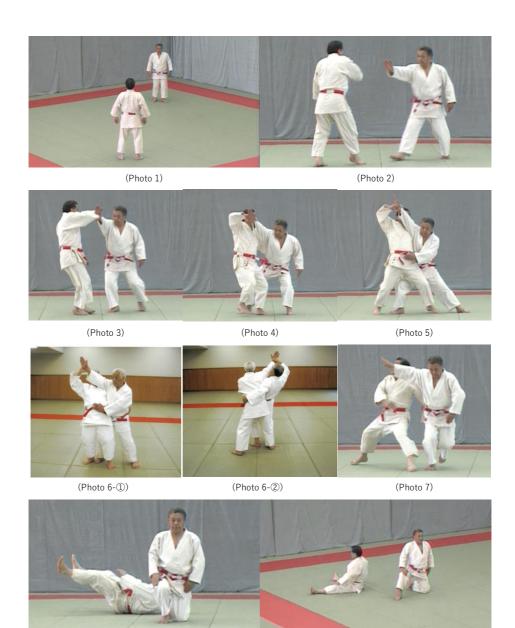


7. Ko-daore

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the opposite sides to those in "*Hiki-otoshi*" to face each other diagonally in *Shizen-hontai* with a distance of about 5 m (Photo 1).

Both *Tori* and *Uke* quietly get closer each other. After taking a few steps forward, Tori gradually raises his right hand forward, while making it Te-gatana (with thumb facing upward and four fingers held together and stretched), and upon reaching the distance, *Tori* steps forward with his right foot and attempts to thrust with his Te-gatana at Uke's Uto (the middle of eyebrows) (Photo 2). While turning his body to his right and turning away his face to avoid Tori's attack, Uke grips Tori's right wrist with four fingers of his right hand facing upward (Photo 3) and pulls it forward into its thrusting direction as he fends off *Tori*'s attack lightly. Uke steps in front of Tori's body with his left foot, inserts his left hand deeply into *Tori's* back and, while holding *Tori's* hips and drawing Tori's body toward his left hip, attempts to throw Tori with Koshi-nage (Photo 4). While having his right wrist gripped by *Uke*, *Tori* responds Uke's attack by stretching his right arm with force and pressing his forearm (with his small finger side) upon Uke's face to control Uke. Then, Tori puts the front side of his right hip on the back side of Uke's left hip, puts his left hand on the front side of Uke's belt and, while moving his body diagonally backward and rightward with his right foot by Tsugi-ashi, inserts his hips deeply behind Uke to push him to the right rear corner and brakes the balance. Uke retreats with both of his feet and tries to restore his balance (Photo 5). Tori continues to control Uke without relaxation and, after sufficiently breaking Uke's balance to the right rear corner (Photo 6-02), retreats his left foot to put his left knee close to his right heel and pushes down *Uke* backward with both of his hands (Photo 7, 8). Then, Tori puts his right hand on his right knee (with his fingers facing inside) and turns his right foot rightward just like drawing an arc to take *Kurai* in his stable position.

After taking *Ukemi* by avoiding *Tori*'s kneecap as he did in "*Ryoku-hi*," *Uke* takes *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).



(Photo 8) (Photo 9)

8. Uchi-kudaki

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the opposite sides to those in "*Ko-daore*" to face each other diagonally in *Shizen-hontai* with a distance of about 5 m (Photo 1).

Both *Tori* and *Uke* quietly get closer each other. After taking a few steps forward, *Tori* gradually raises his left hand forward, while making it *Te-gatana* (with thumb facing upward and four fingers held together and stretched), and upon reaching the distance *Tori* steps forward with his left foot and attempts to thrust with his *Te-gatana* at *Uke's* abdomen (*Suigetsu* or solar plexus) (Photo 2).

While turning his body to his left to avoid *Tori's* attack, *Uke* grips *Tori's* wrist with four fingers of his left hand facing upward (Photo 3) and pulls it forward into its thrusting direction as he fends off *Tori*'s attack lightly. Uke steps in front of Tori's body with his right foot, inserts his right hand deeply into Tori's back and, while holding Tori's hip and drawing Tori's body toward his right hip, attempts to throw Tori with Koshi-nage (Photo 4). While having his left hand pulled by Uke, Tori stretches his left arm, turns around his wrist (with his small finger facing upward) to hold *Uke's* hips from the front side as he scoops it up and puts his right hand on the front side of *Uke's* belt (Photo 5). Then, Tori moves his body diagonally backward and leftward with his left foot by Tsugi-ashi, inserts his hips deeply behind Uke to push him to the left rear corner and breaks the balance. Uke withstands with both of his feet and tries to restore his balance. Tori continues to control Uke without relaxation and, after sufficiently breaking Uke's balance to the left rear corner (Photo 6-00), retreats his right foot to put his right knee close to his left heel and pushes down *Uke* backward with both of his hands (Photo 7, 8). Then, Tori takes Kurai as he did in "Tai."

After taking *Ukemi* by avoiding *Tori*'s kneecap, *Uke* takes *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).



(Photo 1) (Photo 2)



(Photo 3) (Photo 4) (Photo 5)



(Photo 6-①) (Photo 6-②) (Photo-7)



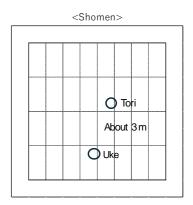
(Photo 8) (Photo 9)

9. Tani-otoshi

Tori moves to the center of *Dojo* and stands in *Shizen-hontai* toward *Shomen*. Uke moves to the spot about 3 m behind *Tori's* left foot and stands to face *Tori* in *Shizen-hontai* (Photo 1).

(See the right-side Figure)

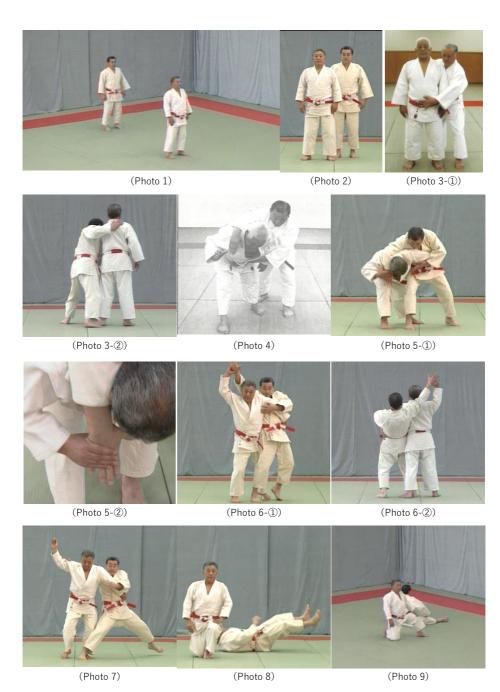
Uke quietly moves forward to reach behind *Tori* up to a distance of about one step (Photo 2) and then, while putting his left foot beside *Tori*'s left foot, *Uke* puts his right hand on the



back side of *Tori*'s right shoulder to push forward, at the same time, puts his left hand on the front side of *Tori*'s abdomen to pull forward and attempts to push down *Tori* to forward (Photo 3-①②). While being pushed down by *Uke* and stepping forward with his right foot, *Tori* responds to *Uke*'s attack by bending his upper body deeply forward. Upon *Uke*'s being broken the balance forward, his right hand slips down over *Tori*'s shoulder (Photo 4).

Tori immediately grabs Uke's right hand from its small finger side with his right hand and attempts to throw Uke by wrapping him forward. Trying not to be thrown by Tori, Uke steps forward with his right foot (Photo 5-02) and tries to keep balance by pulling up his right hand. Responding to Uke, Tori raises his right hand, moves his left hand from the front side of *Uke's* body to put on the left hip and moves his left foot behind both of *Uke's* feet to hold Uke's body with his left arm. While raising Uke's right hand diagonally upward at a stretch with his right hand, Tori raises his upper body to lift Uke's body slightly upward, moves his body a few steps diagonally backward and leftward with his left foot by Tsugi-ashi, inserts his hips deeply behind *Uke* to break *Uke*'s balance to the left rear corner. Uke withstands with both of his feet and tries to restore his balance (Photo 6-02). Tori continues to control Uke without relaxation and, after sufficiently breaking *Uke's* balance to the left rear corner, releases his right hand grip and, at the same time, lowers his right knee close to his left heel to throw down *Uke* backward (Photo 7, 8). Then, *Tori* takes *Kurai* as he did in "Uchi-kudaki."

After taking *Ukemi* by avoiding *Tori's* kneecap, *Uke* takes *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).



10. Kuruma-daore

Tori stands about 50 cm behind where he started "Tani-otoshi" in Shizen-hontai toward Shomen. Uke moves to the spot about 3 m behind Tori's left foot and stands to face Tori in Shizen-hontai (Photo 1).

As he did in "Tani-otoshi," Uke walks to reach behind Tori (Photo 2), raises both of his hands (Photo 3) and, while putting his right hand on the back side of Tori's right shoulder to push forward and, at the same time, putting his left hand on the front side of Tori's left shoulder to pull forward, attempts to twist and roll over Tori's body at a stroke (Photo $4\cdot \mathbb{Q}$). While turning around a pivot of right foot (Photo 5), Tori steps into the right side of Uke's right foot with his left and then right feet, puts both of his hands around Uke's armpits (Photo $6\cdot \mathbb{Q}$) and, while lifting Uke's body forward to break the balance by turning his body and pulling with both of his hands, throws Uke over his body to take "Dai-no-ji" posture (Photo 7, 8).

Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 9).

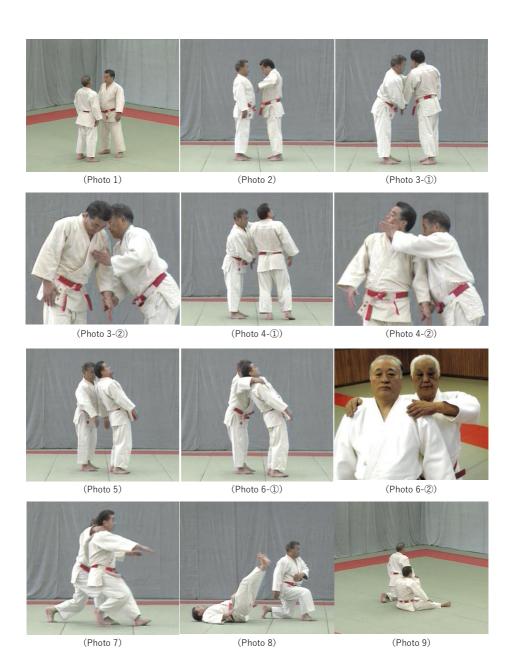


11. Shikoro-dori

Tori moves to the center of *Dojo* and stands in *Shizen-hontai* with his right side toward *Shomen*. As he did in "*Ryoku-hi*," *Uke* gets closer to *Tori* up to a distance of about half a step and stands to face *Tori* in *Shizen-hontai* (Photo 1).

Uke turns his left palm inside and attempts to grip the front side of *Tori's* belt from above (Photo 2). At this instant, *Tori* slightly retreats his hips to avoid *Uke's* attack. Upon *Uke's* being unable to grip the front side of Tori's belt and losing the balance forward, Tori immediately sweeps and grips Uke's left wrist with his right hand (with thumb facing upward) and pulls it downward and leftward with strength (Photo 3-①②). At the same time, *Tori* presses his left palm on the left side of *Uke's* jaw and pushes it up diagonally rightward (Photo 4-02). While having his neck twisted to his right, Uke turns around a pivot of his left foot, turns back with his right foot just beside his left foot and is broken his balance backward (Photo 5). At this instant, Tori moves his right hand to put on Uke's right shoulder from behind, also moves his left hand to put on *Uke's* left shoulder from the front (Photo 6-02) and, while taking a wide step backward with his left foot to put his left knee on Tatami, lowering his body deeply and, at the same time, pulling both of his hands, pulls down *Uke* right behind at a stroke (Photo 7, 8).

Uke falls down behind by slightly retreating with his right foot, takes *Ukemi* with both of his hand and raises his upper body to take *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).



12. Shikoro-gaeshi

Tori stands in Shizen-hontai on the center of Dojo with his left side toward Shomen. Uke quietly gets closer to Tori up to a distance of about half a step and stands to face Tori in Shizen-hontai (Photo 1).

Uke turns his left palm downward to grip the front side of Tori's belt firmly (Photo 2) and, while taking a wide step backward with his right foot, turning his body to his right, bending his right knee slightly and lowering his hips, pulls strongly with his left hand to drag Tori's body toward his left hip (Photo 3). While utilizing Uke's pulling force and taking a wide step with his right foot behind Uke, as his body is being dragged by *Uke*, *Tori* puts his right hand on *Uke's* left temporal to press forward, at the same time, puts his left hand on the right side of *Uke's* jaw to pull forward and attempts to control Uke by twisting his neck (Photo 4-①②). While enduring *Tori*'s attack, *Uke* pushes *Tori*'s abdomen with his left hand and tries to restore his balance. Upon *Tori's* relaxing both of his hands and *Uke's* upper body being raised, *Tori* puts his right hand on *Uke's* right shoulder with his fingers facing forward, also moves his left hand onto *Uke's* left shoulder (Photo 5-02) and pulls both of his hands with strength to break *Uke's* balance backward. At this instant, while stretching his upper body upright and sliding his left foot outside of Uke's left foot and right foot between both of Uke's feet (Photo 6-02). *Tori* lowers his hips and pushes *Uke's* left leg acutely from behind with the inner side of his right leg, just like sweeping *Uke's* left leg, to pull down *Uke* on his back at a stroke (when *Tori* stretches both of his legs to take Kaikvaku-choza position) (Photo 7, 8). After taking Ukemi by hitting Tatami with his right hand, Uke raises his upper body to take *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).

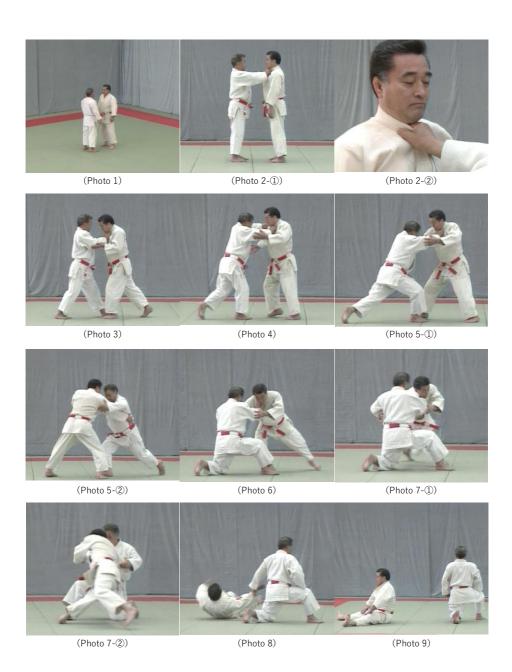


13. Yu-dachi

Tori stands in Shizen-hontai on the center of Dojo with his right side toward Shomen. As he did in "Ryoku-hi," Uke gets closer to Tori up to a distance of about one step and stands to face Tori in Shizen-hontai (Photo 1).

Tori grabs both of Uke's collars with both of his hands, put both of those collars in his right hand to grip them just below Uke's jaw (by inserting his index finger between the collars) and lowers his left hand as it goes down (Photo $2 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$). While immediately taking a slight step forward with his left foot, Uke holds the bottom side of Tori's right elbow with his left hand to push it forward. Responding to Uke's push, Tori retreats with his right foot (Photo 3). Upon Tori's retreating with his right foot, Uke takes a wide step forward with his right foot holds the left side of Tori's hip with his right hand and attempts to throw Tori with Koshi-nage (Photo 4). While grabbing Uke's right arm with his left hand, just like holding it under his left armpit (Photo $5 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2)$), and continuing to grip Uke's collars with his right hand, Tori retreats with his left foot to put his left knee on Tatami and pulls down Uke forward strongly with both of his hands at a stroke (Photo $6, 7 \cdot \mathbb{O}(2), 8$).

After taking *Ukemi* as he did in "*Hiki-otoshi*," *Uke* raises his upper body to take *Kaikyaku-choza* position (Photo 9).



14. Taki-otoshi

Tori stands in Shizen-hontai on the center of Dojo with his left side toward Shomen. Uke gets closer to Tori up to a distance of about one step and stands to face Tori in Shizen-hontai (Photo 1).

Tori grabs both of Uke's collars with both of his hands, put both of those collars in his right hand to grip them just below *Uke's* jaw (by inserting his index finger between the collars) and lowers his left hand as it goes down (Photo 2). While immediately taking a slight step forward with his left foot, Uke holds the bottom side of Tori's right elbow with his left hand to push it forward. Responding to *Uke's* push, *Tori* retreats with his right foot (Photo 3). Upon *Tori*'s retreating with his right foot, *Uke* takes a wide step forward with his right foot and attempts to grip the back side of Tori's belt over Tori's left shoulder with his right hand and throw Tori with Koshi-nage (Photo 4). Responding to Uke's attack, Tori lowers his hips, while shifting his body quickly leftward, and holds Uke's hips with his left hand (Photo 5). While pushing up his right hand and taking a few steps backward and leftward, Tori pushes Uke's body to break the balance (Photo 6, 7). While trying to restore his balance, Uke retreats slightly with his left foot to withstand (Photo 8). While utilizing *Uke's* pushing-back force and gradually relaxing his pushing force on his right hand to let *Uke* raise his upper body, *Tori* creeps up his left hand from the back side of *Uke's* hips to the right side of *Uke's* back, applies force on his right hand (continuing to insert his index finger between the collars), lifts Uke's body forward to break the balance (Photo 9) and throws him as he did in "Yume-no-uchi (Photo 10, 11).

Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 12).



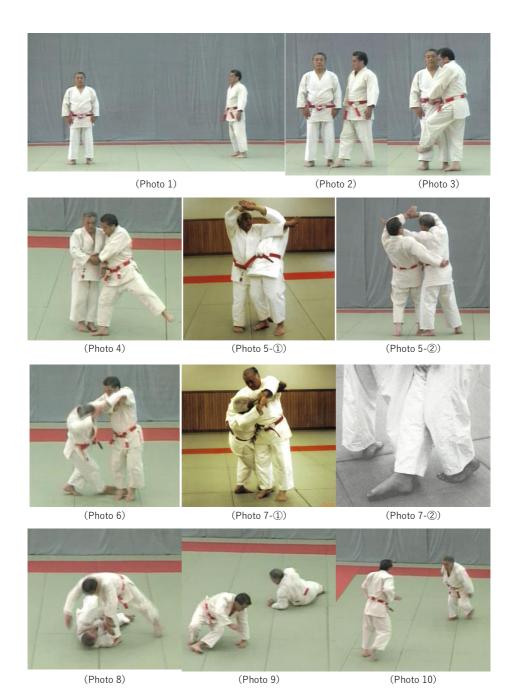
Ura

1. Mi-kudaki

Tori stands on the spot, which is one step behind where he started "Yume-no-uchi," in Shizen-hontai toward Shomen. Uke stands on the same spot where he started "Yume-no-uchi" in Shizen-hontai facing Tori.

Tori takes a wide step forward with his left foot and stands in Shizen-hontai (Photo 1). Uke quietly moves forward to gets closer to the left side behind *Tori* and attempts to throw *Tori* with *Koshi-nage* as he did in "Tai" (Photo 2, 3). At this instant, immediately taking slightly Jigo-tai position, Tori grips over Uke's left wrist with his right hand (Photo 4) and presses it downward with strength to release *Uke's* left hand from the front side of his belt. At the same time, while turning around his left hand (with small finger side facing upward), inserting his left arm under *Uke's* left armpit, pushing *Uke's* body backward and upward, Tori takes a few small steps with his left foot first by Tsugi-ashi leftward and backward and pushes to break Uke's balance further behind. While retreating, Uke tries to restore his balance by pushing back (Photo 5-02). While utilizing Uke's pushing-back force and turning to his left by retreating with his left foot leftward (Photo 6), Tori steps into the outside of *Uke's* right foot with his right foot, pushes up his left arm and pulls down *Uke's* left wrist with his right hand. Upon Uke's being lifted and broken the balance forward (Photo 7-02), Tori renders his body on his back underneath *Uke's* legs, applies more force on both of his hands with strength and throws Uke forward over his body (Photo 8, 9).

Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 10).



2. Kuruma-gaeshi

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the diagonal line of *Dojo*, (while *Tori* stands on the left side and *Uke* on the right side toward *Shomen*), to face each other and both quickly get closer (Photo 1). Upon *Uke*'s reaching the distance, while stepping forward with his right foot, *Uke* thrusts both of *Tori*'s shoulders with both of his hands (Photo 2, 3). At this instant, while turning both of his thumbs outward (with four fingers facing inward) and putting both of his hands on the bottom side of *Uke*'s upper arms to fend off *Uke*'s thrusting, *Tori* steps forward to the outside of *Uke*'s right foot with his left and then right feet (Photo 4-000) and renders his body on his back underneath *Uke*'s legs to throw *Uke* over his body (Photo 5, 6, 7).

Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 8, 9).



3. Mizu-iri

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the diagonal line of *Dojo* (while *Tori* stands on the right side and *Uke* on the left side toward *Shomen*) to face each other and both quickly get closer (Photo 1). Upon *Uke*'s reaching the distance, while stepping forward with his right foot, *Uke* thrusts the left side of *Tori*'s shoulder with his right hand at a stroke (Photo 2). At this instant, while leaning back to move his left shoulder backward and twisting his upper body, *Tori* turns his left palm outward to grip *Uke*'s right wrist from its inward to fend off *Uke*'s thrusting. At the same time, while turning his right palm upward (with thumb facing inside), putting it on *Uke*'s right armpit and breaking *Uke*'s balance by pulling with both of his hands, *Tori* steps into the outside of *Uke*'s right foot with his left and then right feet (Photo 3-023) and renders his body on his back underneath *Uke*'s legs to throw *Uke* over his body (Photo 4, 5, 6-02, 7).

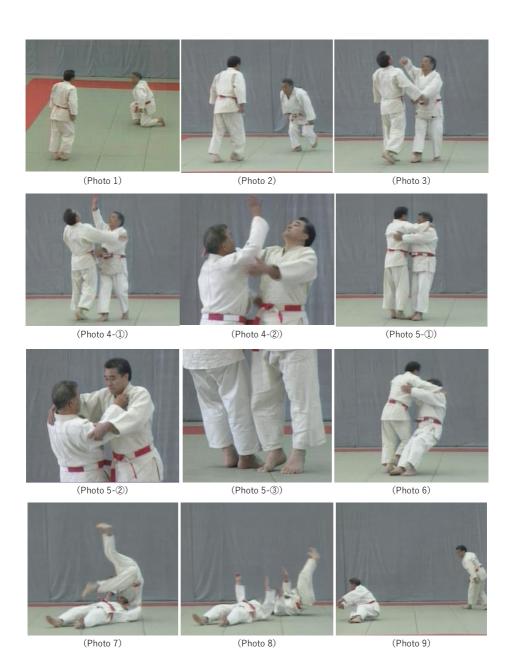
Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 8).



4. Ryu-setsu

Both Tori and Uke stand to face each other (while Tori stands on the left side and Uke on the right side toward Shomen), Uke takes a step or two forward and Tori takes a few quick steps forward to get closer each other (Photo 1, 2). Upon Tori's reaching the distance, while stepping forward with his right foot, Tori raises his right hand with its back facing upward (while lowering his finger tips), toward Uke's face to apply a blinding-strike into Uke's eyes (Katate-kasum) (Photo 3). Uke leans back slightly with his head to fend off Tori's attack (Photo $4-\mathbb{O}(2)$). Upon Uke's bringing back his head, Tori grips Uke's left side of collar with his right hand and inserts his left hand under Uke's right armpit to put it below Uke's right shoulder. While applying force on both of his hands to lift Uke's body and break the balance, Tori steps into the outside of Uke's right foot with his left and then right feet (Photo $5-\mathbb{O}(2)$) and renders his body on his back to throw Uke over his body (Photo 6, 7, 8).

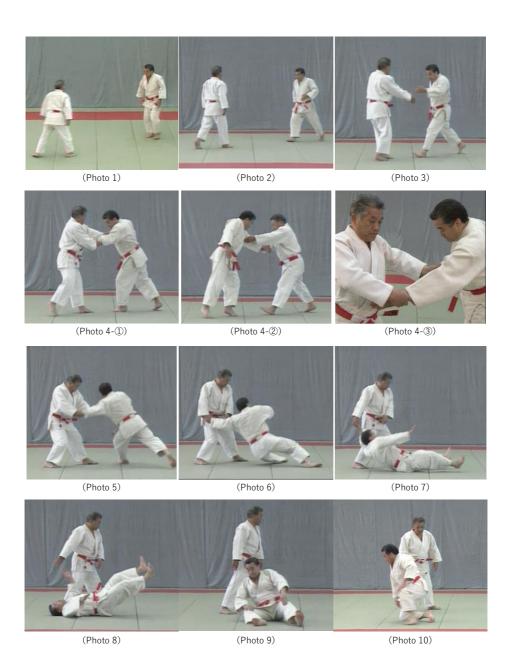
Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 9).



5. Saka-otoshi

Both *Tori* and *Uke* stand on the diagonal line of *Dojo* (while *Tori* stands on the right side and *Uke* on the left side toward *Shomen*) to face each other (Photo 1), *Uke* takes a step or two forward and *Tori* takes a few quick steps forward to get closer each other. Upon *Uke's* reaching the distance, while stepping forward with his left foot, *Uke* thrusts into *Tori's* abdomen (*Suigetsu* or solar plexus) sharply with his left hand as *Te-gatana* (with thumb facing upward and four fingers held together and stretched) (Photo 2, 3). While taking a step backward with his right foot to fend off *Uke's* attack and assuming left stance, *Tori* grips over *Uke's* wrist of thrusting hand from above with his right hand and puts his left palm (with thumb facing upward) inside of *Uke's* left upper arm. And, while keeping his standing position, *Tori* applies force on both of his hands with strength to pull down *Uke* strongly at a stroke (Photo 4-①②③, 5).

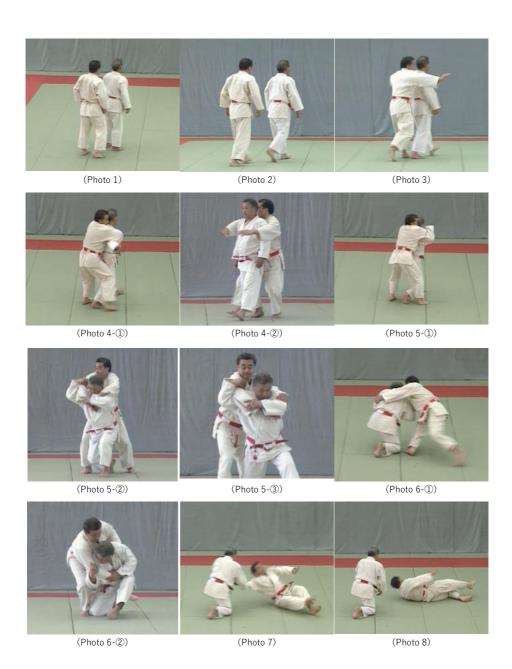
Uke turns over laterally forward (Photo 6, 7, 8, 9, 10).



6. Yuki-ore

Tori takes a few steps toward Uke and when Uke stands up, Tori turns his back toward Uke and walks forward. As he follows Tori from the back, Uke takes a few quick steps to get closer to Tori's back (Photo 1, 2) and, while stepping outside of Tori's right foot with his right foot, attempts to hold Tori's body in his arms over both of Tori's arms (Photo 3, $4 \cdot \mathbb{Q}$). At this instant, while opening both of his arms and holding Uke's right arm in them from above (with his right hand on Uke's upper arm and his left hand on Uke's forearm) (Photo $5 \cdot \mathbb{Q}$), Tori lowers his body by putting his right knee on Tatami to throw Uke over his back (Photo $6 \cdot \mathbb{Q}$).

Uke turns over forward (Photo 7, 8).

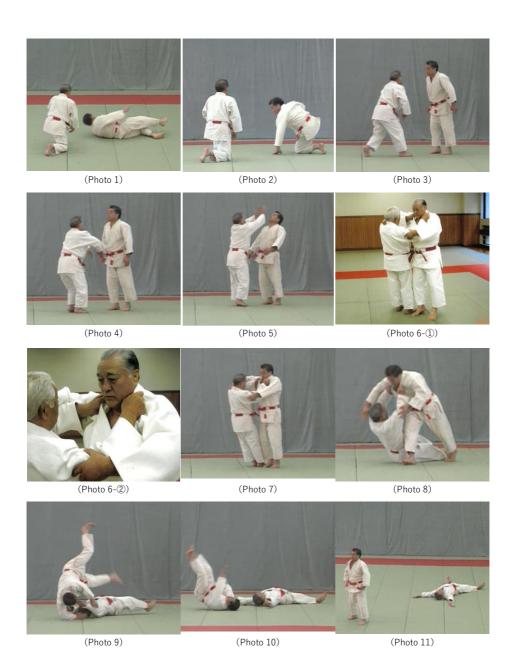


7. Iwa-nami

Uke stands up swiftly to turn around to face *Tori* (Photo 1, 2).

Tori takes a step or two toward *Uke* and, upon his reaching the distance (Photo 3), raises both of his hands with their backs facing upward (while lowering his finger tips), toward *Uke*'s face to apply a blinding-strike into *Uke*'s eyes (*Ryote-kasumi*). *Uke* leans back slightly with his head to fend off *Tori*'s attack (Photo 4, 5). Upon *Uke*'s bringing back his head, *Tori* grips both of *Uke*'s side collars with both of his hands and, while applying force on both of his hands to lift *Uke*'s body and breaking the balance, *Tori* steps into the outside of *Uke*'s right foot with his left and then right feet (Photo 6-①②), renders his body on his back underneath *Uke*'s legs (Photo 7, 8) to throw *Uke* over his body and take "*Dai-no-ji*" posture.

Uke jumps over *Tori*'s body diagonally, while turning far forward, and stands on *Tatami* (Photo 9, 10, 11).



Ending formalities

After finishing "Iwa-nami," both Tori and Uke return to the original positions (where they first stood in Shizen-hontai after making standing bows and taking a step forward respectively) (Photo 1, 2, 3), face each other in Shizen-hontai (Photo 4), both take a step backward simultaneously with their right feet and face each other while standing with both of their heels slightly apart (Photo 5) to make seated bows (Photo 6).

Then, both *Tori* and *Uke* turn around toward *Shomen* (Photo 7) and make standing bows to finish "*Koshiki-no-Kata*" (Photo 8).

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