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## SASSOBIANCO 2016

**Indication** Colli dell'Etruria Centrale Bianco DOC

**First year of bottling** 1987

**History** Until 1987, the white wine of Bossi Estate was made with only Trebbiano grapes.

**Area of production** The Villa Bossi Estate, at an altitude of about 300 meters above sea level, mainly in the vineyard of Camerata in the hill, with a southwest exposure, with 0.4 hectares of Sauvignon Blanc and 0.4 hectares of Chardonnay.

**Type of breeding** Spurred cordon.

**Terroir** The ground is composed by Galestro (typical Tuscan hard stone) and clay soils with calcareous sediments.

**Grapes** Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay and others.

**Harvest and vintage report** The harvest period in 2016 was climatically perfect. The quality of the grapes harvested and taken to the cellar was of great level, as to portend a thick vintage. The grapes are harvested by hand in late August, early September.

**Fermentation and winemaking** No skins, soft pressing in stainless steel containers at a controlled temperature.

**Aging** Rest in steel containers for 5-6 months.

**Bottle formats** 0,75lt

**Potential aging** 2 years depending on the vintage.

**Tasting notes** Sassobianco 2016 is light straw yellow with green highlights. The nose has good intensity with a fruity aroma of fresh fruits with yellow pulp, exotic and citrus flower as orange blossom and grapefruit, followed by light vegetal notes ending with a pleasant mineral nuance. The taste has a good freshness and flavor, supported by a reasonable alcohol-based, the end is long and offers all the notes felt on the nose.

**Alcohol level** 11,5 %

**Service temperature and glass** The recommended serving temperature is between 10-12°C. The glass to be used for this wine is the Tulip.

**Food pairing** Appetizers with crustaceans, pasta dishes with vegetables.

