

## MASSERIA LI VELI "ASKOS" SUSUMANIELLO ROSATO SALENTO IGT



### PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

The Falvo family

Winemaker:

Riccardo Cotarella

Winery Founded:

1999

Region:

Puglia

### WINE STORY

Masseria Li Veli features little-known native grape varieties of Puglia in its Askos line. With just 125 acres (50 ha) in all of Italy, Susumaniello certainly fits in that category. Li Veli's varietal Susumaniellos are a rare opportunity to taste this ancient grape variety that is just starting to garner attention. This wine is a pink version, essentially a white wine made with red Susumaniello grapes.

### VINEYARDS & VINIFICATION

<b>VINEYARD LOCATION:</b>	Commune of Cellino San Marco (province of Brindisi)
<b>ELEVATION:</b>	70 meters
<b>SOILS:</b>	Clay with limestone rock
<b>TRAINING SYSTEM:</b>	Alberello (bush-trained vines) in Settonce configuration
<b>FARMING PRACTICES:</b>	Integrated agriculture system
<b>AGE OF VINES:</b>	18 years (planted 2000)
<b>YIELD:</b>	7,000 kg per hectare
<b>GRAPES:</b>	Susumaniello
<b>TYPE OF YEAST:</b>	Cultured
<b>POST-FERMENTATION PROCEDURES:</b>	
<b>SECOND FERMENTATION:</b>	N/A
<b>MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION:</b>	No
<b>FILTRATION:</b>	
<b>AGING CONTAINER:</b>	Stainless-steel tanks
<b>AGING TIME:</b>	4 months
<b>BOTTLE AGING TIME:</b>	
<b>PRODUCTION:</b>	
<b>VEGAN:</b>	

### TECHNICAL DATA

<b>ALCOHOL:</b>	12.5%	<b>TOTAL ACIDITY:</b>	
<b>RESIDUAL SUGAR:</b>		<b>EXTRACT:</b>	