

## The harvest has begun

The harvest has started on most of our domaines. The harvest for the Beaujolais and Beaujolais Villages has officially begun on August 27th.

Grands Terroirs & Signatures/ Signé Vigneron gives you the news:



### The Health and condition of the vines:

The vines are in a great overall state and the grapes may not need any sorting. The vines are starting to suffer a little from the hot weather of the past weeks, but the rain from week 35 has lowered the strain on the vines and allowed for full ripening of the grapes.



### Condition of the Grapes:

There are a few clusters per vine stock this year (11/12 clusters per vine stock) and the berries are concentrated because of the dry weather in July and August. The initial plots harvested this past week present low to medium outputs (16 hectolitres per acre)

### Ripening status:

The harvest is almost finished in our premier domaines, and we have already begun or will begin harvesting all of our other domaines in the next two weeks.



The beginning of the harvest has confirmed that this will be an exceptional harvest.

The revitalizing rain from last week, combined with the hot sunny days and cool nights since then, has allowed a full ripening of the grapes and also very fruity berries which will produce full colored and rich wines.

