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According to the first forecast, it is expected that the harvest in La Mancha will be 12% lower due to the drought, which mainly affects the provinces of Toledo, Cuenca and Albacete. In Ciudad Real, in the south of La Mancha, a smaller reduction is expected because there are more irrigated areas. Across Spain, the grape harvest is expected to be 11% lower than last year. It seems that degrees will be higher this year than last year and in general the harvest has started 10 days earlier.

Currently, Chardonnay, Sauvignon blanc and Muscat are being harvested, and Verdejo, Macabeo and Tempranillo will be harvested soon. Finally, the harvest of Airén is expected in mid-September, although it could be brought forward to the beginning of the month.

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