



VINES, 21ST OF JUNE 2021

A MILD AND SUNNY WINTER

Summary of the first trimester 2021:

- average temperature: slightly higher than normal(+0.4°C)
- rainfall: +18 mm compare to the average
- Sunlight: +56 heures compare to the average

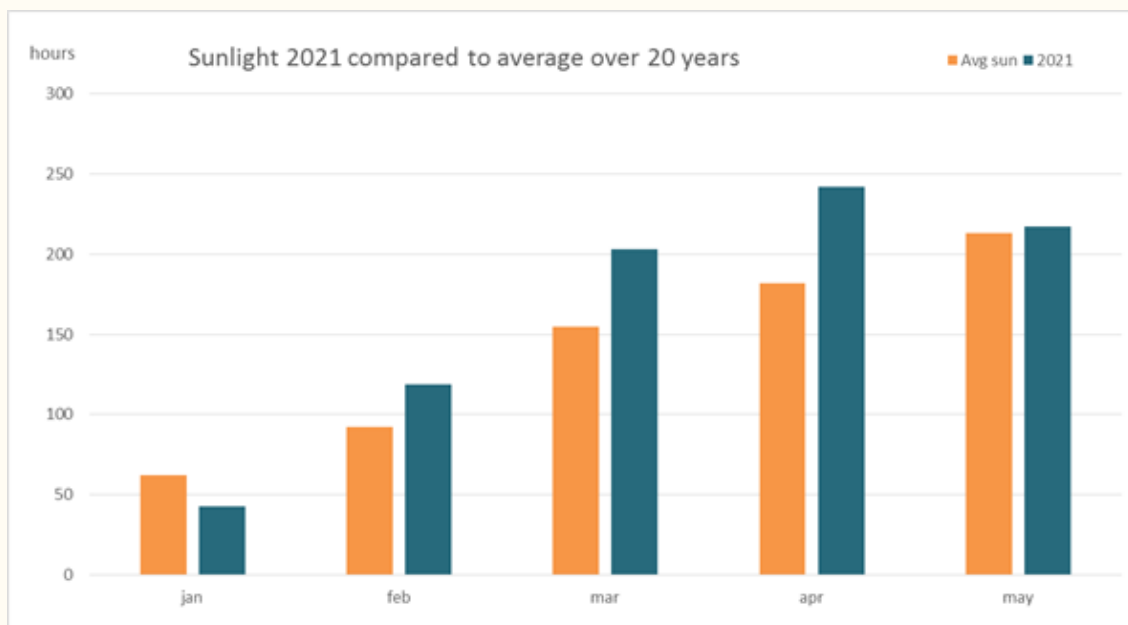
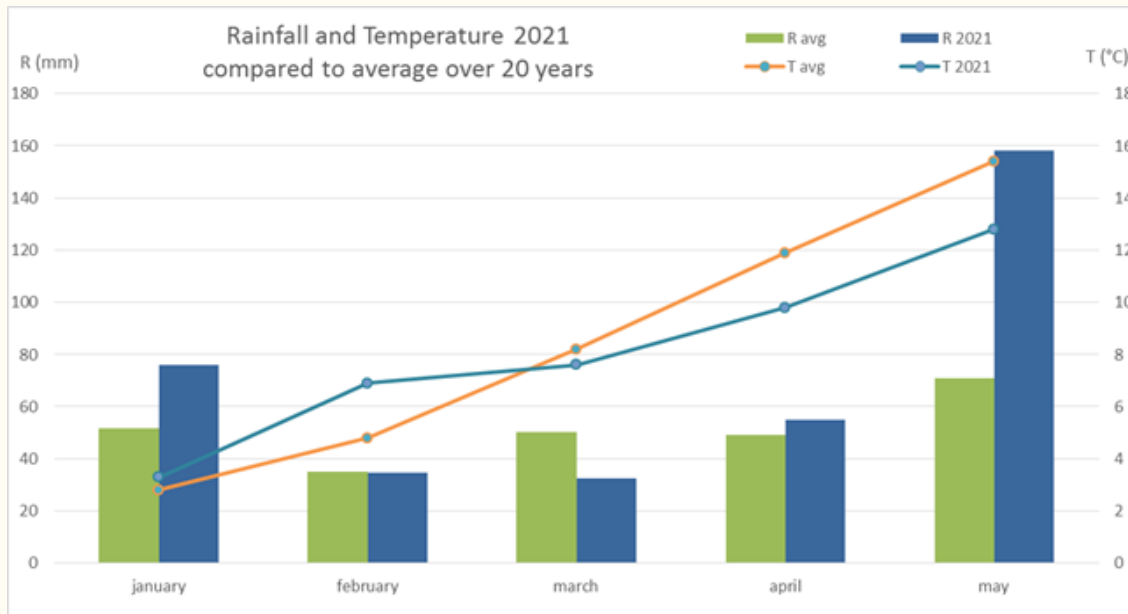
This led to an early budding beginning of April, in line with the 2019 & 2020 vintage.

A FRESH AND RAINY SPRING

An important frost wave around the 8th of April has affected most of the vineyards like rarely seen before. We are now used to spring frost (2017, 2019...), but this year was unusually long and intense. On the 8th of April especially, the temperature went down to -8,1°C in Chazay d'Azergues, a record!

During the month of may, the temperature are fresh and rainfall is high in Beaujolais & Mâconnais, delaying the vine growing cycle. Rainfall since the beginning of the year is in excess of 100 mm in the end of may compare to a normal year. Due to the weather, work and interventions in the vineyards were challenging but those water reeves will help mitigate a hot summer.

The sun and hot temperatures are back in June (35° C on the 15th of June) and give perfect conditions for the flowering of the vine (Week-end of June 12th).



REGARDING HARVEST DATE?

We are expecting to harvest around mid-september, later than last vintages!

A Cercié en Beaujolais, 21st of June 2021

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