

## Grain Harvesting today

Please insert the following words in the appropriate gaps:

bales, cleans, combine harvester, dry, grain, press, rain, straw, tank, throws, weather, working



Nowadays the ..... is harvested fully automatically with combine harvesters. In one go, the ..... mows the grain and, without stopping, separates the ears, threshes the grain and ..... it. Grain flattened by wind and ..... is no problem for the combine harvester.

However, harvesting is best done when the ..... is dry. Good weather should be made the most of. For this reason a combine harvester is often ..... sixteen hours a day at harvest time.



The grain can be stored temporarily in a grain ..... holding up to 10,000 litres. The long ..... cast off in rows by the combine harvester is often pressed into ..... the same day. It is important that the straw is ..... . A hydraulic high pressure ..... gathers the straw, presses it under high pressure into bales and ..... it onto the cart.

