Weekly production figures

Burdekin region mills Week 2, ending 19 June 2021

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Cane crushed	This week	Season to date
Invicta	144,457	228,825
Pioneer	63,402	112,460
Kalamia	71,739	108,645
Inkerman	36,589	75,334
Burdekin	316,186	525,264
CCS		
Invicta	13.30	13.13
Pioneer	13.20	13.06
Kalamia	12.78	12.86
Inkerman	12.35	12.51
Burdekin	13.05	12.97

Weekly variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q240	34	13.08	Q208	5	12.15
KQ228	33	13.09			
Q183	21	13.35			
Q232	5	12.90			

Comments:

Throughput for the Burdekin mills in week two of the season was just over 316,000 tonnes. This was above budget despite the impact of wet weather on cane supply.

Inkerman Mill experienced the greatest impact, with some areas receiving more than 60mm of rain for the week. The mill ran out of cane on Thursday morning and did not resume crushing operations until Sunday night.

The north bank mills experienced some cane supply shortfalls, but much lower rainfall totals meant harvesters were able to get back into paddocks sooner.

Average weekly CCS was 13.05. This was above budget and a good outcome given the wet conditions experienced across the region.

The highest CCS sample was 16.2 from a rake of Q240 Plant cane in the Invicta Mill area.

Wilmar employees delivered the cane train safety message for the first time at the new Queensland Country Bank Stadium on Friday night, with community engagement activities held before and during the Cowboys versus Sharks game. Engagement was good and feedback was positive.

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