

Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Herbert region mills Week 5, ending 25 July 2020

	This week	Season to date
Cane crushed		
Victoria	94,909	480,407
Macknade	38,303	195,985
Total	133,212	676,392

Crop forecast	4.16 M
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District CCS	11.57	11.31

Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q208	33.1	11.99	Q200	4.6	11.31
Q232	10.9	11.21	Q242	4.6	11.13
Q253	8.9	11.29	SRA3	3.3	11.52
Q240	7.7	11.68	Q183	2.4	11.54
Q250	5.6	12.26	MQ239	2.3	10.67

Comments:

Wet weather impacted harvesting operations and resulted in reduced throughput for the week.

The temporary stop to crushing enabled crews to conduct factory maintenance at both Herbert mills.

CCS levels consistently remained around the 11.5 range for the week.

An incident occurred in the early hours of Sunday morning whereby a harvester elevator came into contact with the Cairns locomotive cabin. The locomotive sustained minor damage.

The collision is another reminder of the need for all harvesting operators and road users to be vigilant around our cane train network.

Please stay clear of cane rail infrastructure and always give way to cane trains.

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