

Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Herbert region mills Week 18, ending 24 October 2020

	This week	Season to date
Cane crushed		
Victoria	139,110	2,265,573
Macknade	62,084	1,035,149
Total	201,194	3,300,722

Crop forecast 4.24 M

	This week	Season to date
District CCS	14.28	12.97

Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q208	26.4	14.89	MQ239	4.5	13.77
Q253	11.4	13.82	Q183	4.2	14.70
Q200	10.6	14.75	Q242	3.9	13.72
Q232	8.7	14.05	SRA3	3.1	13.97
Q240	7.8	13.58	Q250	2.8	13.46

Comments:

Just over 201,000 tonnes of cane were crushed for the week.

Macknade Mill had a four-hour planned stop for shredder maintenance on Tuesday and Victoria Mill undertook a scheduled 12-hour cleaning intermission on B side on Thursday.

There was an improvement of 0.29 of a unit in CCS levels over the previous week to take the weekly average to 14.28 units.

Victoria's A-side mill will undergo a 12-hour scheduled maintenance stop this Tuesday 27 October.

With about a month remaining until the end of the 2020 season, road users are again reminded about the dangers associated with cane trains.

There were two serious incidents at crossings equipped with flashing lights in the past week.

Fortunately there were no serious injuries, however both cars sustained significant damage.

Please use your train brain. Do not encroach upon the cane rail network and always give way to cane trains

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