

Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Herbert region mills Week 17, ending 9 October 2021

	This week	Season to date
Cane crushed		
Victoria	111,030	1,791,942
Macknade	68,463	863,718
Total	179,493	2,655,660

Crop forecast	3.89M
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District CCS	12.97	12.68

Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q253	27.3	12.77	Q183	2.1	13.69
Q208	23.9	13.26	SRA5	2.1	12.04
Q200	8.9	14.05	Q250	1.9	13.20
Q232	8.6	12.32	SRA14	1.9	12.39
Q240	6.5	12.61	Q242	1.8	12.88

Comments:

The Herbert mills crushed just under 180,000 tonnes for the week.

Average weekly CCS continues to trend below budget at 12.97 units.

A failed gearbox on Victoria's B-side carrier early in the week led to reduced crushing capacity for two days until repairs were completed. Scheduled maintenance was brought forward during this period of downtime.

Victoria's A-side mill will have a six-hour stop for shredder maintenance on Wednesday 13 October and Macknade Mill will undertake a 12-hour cleaning intermission on Wednesday 14 October.

Our locomotive crews have reported a concerning number of near hits with vehicles that are failing to observe cane rail crossing rules.

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

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